

THAYER PUBLIC LIBRARY
BRAintree, MASS.

Annual Report
OF THE
TOWN OF
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For The Year

1963

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

PAUL H. YOUNG, CHAIRMAN

FRED A. TENNEY, CLERK

HARRISON T. SMILEY

(Resigned as of December 31, 1963)

As of this writing in January it is appropriate to note Mr. Smiley's resignation as of the end of the year and the fact that Mr. Tenney, whose term expires in 1964, will not be a candidate for re-election. There will, therefore, be a change in personnel affecting the majority of the Board.

As this report is prepared by the Chairman it seems desirably proper and well deserved to commend the two members who are leaving the Board upon the public service which they have rendered to the town in its chief executive offices; Mr. Tenney over a period of twelve years and Mr. Smiley for eight years. As their services will be missed a salute to them for a "Job Well Done" and a "Welcome" to their successors.

The regular schedule of meetings were held during the year together with many special meetings as occasion required.

Following the appointment of a new Chief of Police near the end of 1962 much attention has been given to the appointment of new officer personnel in the Police Department as the men moved up the ladder to fill vacancies. As a result Leo J. Hart, Jr. was appointed Deputy Chief of Police and four new Lieutenants were appointed: Edward P. Long, Charles C. O. Gagne, Nofri C. Solomini, Peter F. D'Amico, two of these filled vacancies and two were new positions authorized by Town Meeting.

Upon the retirement of Harold C. Pearl our former Town Engineer, and, after an extensive screening of applicants, Chester F. Langtry was appointed to the position November 4, 1963.

A new code of "Pedestrian Control" regulations was adopted to become effective September 1, 1964.

The Selectmen have under consideration with the County Commissioners the possibility of important new County Layouts, particularly Washington Street from South Braintree Square to Franklin Street.

A new burden was imposed upon the Selectmen during the past year when the so-called "Conflict of Interest" law became effective on May 1, 1963. This required of the Selectmen the classification of the various officers and employees of the town, some into a "Special" category required by the act. This was done at a meeting of the Board on April 22, 1963. It also led to many new questions referred to the Town Counsel and was probably the significant factor inducing Mr. Smiley's resignation. It presents many problems with our officer and labor force at the town level.

We again express appreciation to our fellow employees and officers of the town for their cooperation which helps to make our job easier and to the public for their understanding of our problems.

1963 REPORT OF THE TOWN CLERK

CARL R. JOHNSON, JR.

OLD BRAINTREE



1640

DETAIL OF RECEIPTS FOR THE YEARS 1962-1963

DOG LICENSES

1962--\$4,365.50

1963--\$4,248.00 (Incomplete)

MARRIAGE INTENTIONS

1962--\$630.00

1963--\$660.00

MORTGAGES & DISCHARGES

1962--\$2,474.00

1963--\$2,714.00

CERTIFIED COPIES

1962--\$523.16

1963--\$617.80

FISH AND GAME LICENSES

1962--\$4,443.55

1963--\$4,405.00

OIL & GAS PERMITS

1962--\$28.50

1963--\$32.50

BUSINESS CERTIFICATES

1962--\$67.00

1963--\$89.00

MISCELLANEOUS

1962--\$116.75

1963--\$164.60

The staff and myself are pleased to be able to report an increase in revenue for the year 1963. We do hope however that the efficiency of this office will not be measured only in terms of revenue but also by our efforts to be of service to the townspeople.

Respectfully submitted,

CARL R. JOHNSON, JR.

Town Clerk

ELECTED TOWN OFFICIALS

Moderator

John J. Canavan

Term Expires 1964

Town Clerk

Carl R. Johnson, Jr.

Term Expires 1964

Selectmen

Fred A. Tenney

Term Expires 1964

Harrison T. Smiley

Term Expires 1965

Paul H. Young

Term Expires 1966

Treasurer

Thelma C. Hedlund

Term Expires 1964

Collector of Taxes

George H. Gerrior, Jr.

Term Expires 1964

Board of Public Welfare

Fred A. Tenney

Term Expires 1964

Whitney Withington (Appointed-Until 1964 Annual
Town Election)

Term Expires 1965

Paul H. Young

Term Expires 1966

Assessors

J. Warren Cuff

Term Expires 1964

Richard H. McNealy

Term Expires 1965

Calvin E. Young

Term Expires 1966

Board of Health

Joseph H. Juster

Term Expires 1964

Robert E. Frazier

Term Expires 1965

Dr. Mary A. Halpin

Term Expires 1966

Water Commissioners

Thomas H. Matthews

Term Expires 1964

Arthur L. Whitten

Term Expires 1965

Howard J. Rose

Term Expires 1966

Sewer Commissioners

A. Winton Caird (Appointed-Until 1964 Annual
Town Election)

Term Expires 1964

Gerald J. Gray

Term Expires 1965

William G. Dyer

Term Expires 1966

Municipal Lighting Board

Carl W. R. Johnson

Term Expires 1964

Ernest S. Reynolds

Term Expires 1965

Walter J. Hansen

Term Expires 1966

School Committee

John D. Callahan	Term Expires 1964
Ruth W. Shuster	Term Expires 1964
Dr. Reuben H. Frogel	Term Expires 1965
Almeda Walker Cain	Term Expires 1965
Roger W. Arnold	Term Expires 1966
Robert J. Barrett	Term Expires 1966

Tree Warden

John F. Leetch	Term Expires 1964
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Park Commissioners

George F. Leben	Term Expires 1964
Earl C. Hollis	Term Expires 1965
Edgar B. Lawrence	Term Expires 1966
Lawrence T. Gingrow (Appointed by Moderator)	Term Expires 1965
Angus Ross Malcolm (Appointed by Moderator)	Term Expires 1964
Arigo L. LaTanzi (Appointed by School Committee)	Term Expires 1964
Mitchell W. Gawlowicz (Appointed by Planning Board)	Term Expires 1964

Planning Board

Joseph M. Magaldi	Term Expires 1964
Frederick J. Klay	Term Expires 1965
Mitchell W. Gawlowicz	Term Expires 1966
Edward J. Rose	Term Expires 1967
William F. Baker	Term Expires 1968

Housing Authority

Vacancy	Term Expires 1964
Joseph F. Connolly	Term Expires 1965
William H. Gustafson	Term Expires 1966
Paul B. O'Keefe	Term Expires 1968
William E. Doren	Term Expires 1966
(Appointed by State Housing Authority)	

Trustees Thayer Public Library

Doris Alexander Canavan	Term Expires 1964
Constance S. Leggett	Term Expires 1964

Commissioners of Trust Funds

Arthur L. Whitten	Term Expires 1964
Robert P. Gray	Term Expires 1965
Joseph F. Connolly	Term Expires 1966

OFFICIALS ELECTED BY TOWN MEETING

Trustees of School Fund

John J. Canavan	Term Expires 1964
H. Irving Charnock	Term Expires 1964
Robert P. Gray	Term Expires 1964
Edward W. Jennings	Term Expires 1964
Otis B. Oakman, Jr.	Term Expires 1964
Gordon E. Trask	Term Expires 1964
Carroll D. Welch	Term Expires 1964

Measurers of Wood and Weighers of Hay

Dominic F. Diauto	Term Expires 1964
Matthew McCusker	Term Expires 1964
George A. Williams	Term Expires 1964

Measurers of Lumber

Joseph F. Connolly	Term Expires 1964
Daniel A. Maloney	Term Expires 1964
Shelley A. Neal	Term Expires 1964

APPOINTED TOWN COMMITTEES

Board of Registrars (Appointed by Selectmen)

Ruth C. Roberts	Term Expires 1964
Thomas F. Mulligan	Term Expires 1965
Lillian M. Drinkwater	Term Expires 1966
Carl R. Johnson, Jr.	(By Virtue of Being Town Clerk)

Industrial Development Commission (Appointed by Selectmen)

Charles R. Furlong	Term Expires 1964
William G. Brooks	Term Expires 1965
John O. Holden	Term Expires 1966
Archie T. Morrison	Term Expires 1967
William B. Webber	Term Expires 1968

Board of Appeals - Zoning By-Law (Appointed by Selectmen)

Herbert J. Redman	Term Expires 1964
Hyman Borax	Term Expires 1965
Joseph Barile	Term Expires 1966
Charles E. Gale (Associate Member)	Term Expires 1964
Vacancy (Associate Member)	Term Expires 1964

Board of Appeal Under Building Code (Appointed by Selectmen)

Howard R. Beaver	Term Expires 1964
Stephen A. Bache	Term Expires 1965
Ovidio D. Chiesa	Term Expires 1966

Airport Commission
(Appointed by Selectmen)

John W. Murphy	Term Expires 1964
George T. Woodsum	Term Expires 1964
William G. Brooks	Term Expires 1965
Gordon H. Robinson	Term Expires 1965
William Stewart	Term Expires 1966

Field Drivers
(Appointed by Selectmen)

Mansfield A. Belyea	Term Expires 1964
Joseph L. Dennehy	Term Expires 1964
Walter Mattie	Term Expires 1964

Fence Viewers
(Appointed by Selectmen)

Walter E. Delory	Term Expires 1964
Edwin L. Emerson	Term Expires 1964
Arvid H. Johnson	Term Expires 1964

Town Forest Committee
(Appointed by Selectmen)

Harry C. Lake	Term Expires 1964
Jeannette Mohnkern	Term Expires 1964
Donald C. Wilder	Term Expires 1964

Conservation Commission
(Appointed by Selectmen)

John J. Cusack	Term Expires 1964
Priscilla H. Daiute	Term Expires 1965
Howard J. Rose	Term Expires 1965
Ralph M. Soule	Term Expires 1966
Harry C. Lake	Term Expires 1966

Contributory Retirement Board

Jonathan W. French (Appointed by Selectmen)	Term Expires 1964
J. Warren Cuff (Elected by Town Employees)	Term Expires 1965
Mary F. Gullotto (By Virtue of Being Town Accountant)	

Trustees of Thayer Public Library
(Appointed by Trustees)

Gilbert L. Bean	Life Membership
Gordon W. Bryant	Life Membership
Gordon O. Thayer	Life Membership

Personnel Board
(Appointed by Moderator)

Donald J. Laing	Term Expires 1964
Joseph V. Phelps, Jr.	Term Expires 1964
Edwin L. Emerson	Term Expires 1965
Vincent Ialenti	Term Expires 1965
Paul P. Foley	Term Expires 1966

Finance Committee
(Appointed by Moderator)

Precinct		Term Expires
1A	John W. Bernard	1966
1A	Joseph A. LaBelle	1964
1A	James P. Lemonias	1966
2	H. James Williams, Jr.	1965
3	Albion R. Fletcher	1965
3	William H. Gustin	1966
3	Alexander Parker	1965
4	Stanley E. Smith	1964
4	Gordon E. Trask	1965
4	Roy O. Ventura	1966
5	Bernard M. Collins	1964
5	William H. Dykstra	1966
5	Philip T. Nickson	1964
6	Raymond V. Johnson	1964
6	Henry G. Mullowney	1965

PERSONS 20 YEARS OF AGE AND OVER AS OF JAN. 1, 1963

18,967

REGISTERED VOTERS AS OF OCT. 1, 1963

Precinct	REP.	DEM.	IND.	TOTAL
1A	588	638	723	1,949
1B	286	488	428	1,202
2	965	1135	1053	3,153
3	1186	560	765	2,511
4	1000	810	750	2,560
5	791	797	762	2,350
6	<u>596</u>	<u>728</u>	<u>647</u>	<u>1,971</u>
	5412	5156	5128	15,696

TOTAL ESTIMATED POPULATION AS OF DEC. 31, 1963

33,000

APPOINTED TOWN OFFICERS

TOWN ACCOUNTANT	Mary F. Gullotto
TOWN COUNSEL	Richard A. Hunt
TOWN ENGINEER	Chester F. Langtry
BUILDING INSPECTOR	Daniel A. Maloney
DEPUTY BUILDING INSPECTOR	Joseph H. Frazier
DEPUTY WIRE INSPECTOR	John H. Frazier
DIRECTOR OF VETERANS' SERVICES	James A. C. Smith
DOG OFFICER	Donald J. Maglio
FIRE CHIEF	Harry T. Sears
FOREST WARDEN	Harry T. Sears
GRAVES REGISTRATION OFFICER	James A. C. Smith
HARBOR MASTER	Earl T. Connors
ASSISTANT HARBOR MASTER	John K. Symons
HEALTH AGENT	Francis R. Chafe
INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS	James F. Mattie
INSPECTOR OF GAS AND GAS APPLIANCES	Bernard E. Keith
INSPECTOR OF MEATS AND PROVISIONS	James F. Mattie
INSPECTOR OF PLUMBING	Bernard E. Keith
INSPECTOR OF GAS & GAS APPLIANCES (ASSISTANT)	Arthur F. Sullivan
INSPECTOR OF PLUMBING (ASSISTANT)	Arthur F. Sullivan
MILK INSPECTOR	Francis R. Chafe
MOTH SUPERINTENDENT	Aaron Whitcomb
POLICE CHIEF	John V. Polio
POUND KEEPER	James F. Mattie
SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES	Calvin E. Young
SLAUGHTERING INSPECTOR	James F. Mattie
SUPERINTENDENT OF CEMETERIES	John F. Leetch
SUPERINTENDENT OF ELECTRIC LIGHT DEPT.	Alban G. Spurrell
SUPERINTENDENT OF FIRE ALARM SYSTEM	Harry T. Sears
SUPERINTENDENT OF HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT	Aaron Whitcomb
SUPERINTENDENT OF PARK DEPARTMENT	Charles F. Abell
SUPERINTENDENT OF SEWER DEPARTMENT	George F. Brousseau
SUPERINTENDENT OF WATER DEPARTMENT	Donato Richardi
WELFARE AGENT	Lloyd L. Doyle
WIRE INSPECTOR	Arthur F. Lucas

TOWN MEETING MEMBERS - 1963

Name	Address	Prec.	Term Expires
Aiello, Joseph	55 King Hill Rd.	1	1966
Ainsleigh, Jack R.	71 Arborway Dr.	6	1966
Allen, George R.	327 Middle St.	4	1964
Angelick, August A.	23 Celia Rd.	2	1965
Arnold, Roger W.	242 Middle St.	4	1966
Arnold, Patricia J.	242 Middle St.	4	1965
Atkinson, Felix H.	46 Academy St.	2	1966
Avitabile, Albert	56 Wampatuck Rd.	1	1966
B			
Bailey, David W.	98 Tremont St.	2	1964
Baker, Howard L.	76 Brow Avenue	2	1966
Baker, Robert M.	76 West St.	3	1966
Baker, William F.	44 Home Park Rd.	4	1965
Barrett, Robert J.	23 Winter St.	1	1966

Bates, Marjorie	25 Cochato Rd.	3	1965
Bean, Gilbert L.	8 Capen Rd.	4	1966
Beck, Alfred W.	20 Monatiquot Ave.	3	1964
Belcher, William B.	58 Windemere Circle	3	1965
Belyea, Gordon L. F.	34 Common St.	3	1964
Belyea, Roland G.	43 Sherbrooke Ave.	3	1964
Birtwell, Frederick A.	95 Arthur St.	6	1964
Bowman, Grafton J.	415 Middle St.	4	1966
Boynton, Arthur E.	256 River St.	4	1964
Boynton, Warren K.	304 Pearl St.	2	1965
Brackett, George A., 3rd	94 Peach St.	2	1965
Brock, Walter M.	34 Weston Ave.	2	1965
Brooks, William G.	250 West St.	3	1965
Bicknam, Ralph W.	75 Massachusetts Ave.	1	1965
Buckley, James G.	187 Hollingsworth Ave.	3	1966
Buker, Everett A.	338 Liberty St.	5	1966
Buker, Lloyd C.	366A Liberty St.	5	1965

C

Cahill, Edward D.	109 Bellevue Rd.	5	1965
Cain, Almeda Walker	2036 Washington St.	1	1966
Caird, A. Winton	147 Park St.	4	1966
Calder, William	7 Prescott Lane	5	1964
Callahan, John D.	11 Claremont St.	5	1965
Canavan, Alexander M.	47 Arthur St.	6	1965
Canavan, John J., Jr.	20 Bellevue Rd.	6	1964
Carnes, George E.	76 Sherbrooke Ave.	3	1966
Carnes, Robert B.	33 Lawnview Dr.	4	1966
Cassidy, Joseph P.	79 Bellevue Rd.	5	1965
Cassidy, Thomas F.	85 Bellevue Rd.	5	1966
Champagne, Roger R.	11 Pearl Place	2	1964
Chiesa, Ovidio D.	159 Hawthorn Rd.	4	1964
Cisneros, Lee	421 Middle St.	4	1966
Clancy, Harold J.	5 Birchcroft Rd.	5	1966
Clement, Philip J.	82 Worthington Circle	3	1964
Cohoon, Donald E.	46 Wilkins Rd.	5	1964
Cohoon, Henry A.	50 Wilkins Rd.	5	1965
Cole, Francis E.	81 Cochato Rd.	3	1964
Colligan, William H.	16 Plymouth Rd.	1	1966
Collins, Bernard M.	15 Claremont St.	5	1965
Connolly, Joseph F.	60 Plymouth Ave.	1	1964
Copeland, Charles M.	55 West St.	3	1964
Corbett, John J.	64 Arborway Dr.	6	1965
Crispin, Marjorie L.	26 Baker Ave.	5	1966
Crispin, William D.	26 Baker Ave.	5	1964
Cuff, J. Warren	14 Marshfield Rd.	2	1966

D

D'Acci, Vito M.	276 Pond St.	1	1964
Daily, Chester M.	467 Granite St.	2	1965
Dallinger, John R.	30 Academy St.	2	1964
Dalton, Arthur L., Jr.	96 French Ave.	2	1966
Davidson, George A.	16 Oakland St.	5	1964
Davis, Virginia Mackie	15 Brierwood Rd.	2	1965
Delory, Walter E.	57 Arborway Dr.	6	1966
DelVecchio, Nicholas J.	42 Taylor St.	2	1965
Dexter, Philip S., Jr.	7 Howard Court	5	1965
Diekmeyer, Frank H.	98 Edgemont Rd.	6	1966

Dignan, William J.	48 Celia Rd.	2	1966
Diotte, Henry J.	58 Sterling St.	5	1966
Donahoe, Harold A., Jr.	18 Nicholas Rd.	3	1966
Donoghue, James R.	4 Parkside Ave.	3	1964
Dykstra, William H.	49 Nickerson Rd.	5	1964

E

Elliott, R. Alden	116 Audubon Ave.	6	1965
Emerson, Edwin L.	72 Mt. Vernon Ave.	3	1965
Emery, Allen C., Jr.	132 Cedar St.	4	1965
Eno, Herbert H.	166 Cleveland Ave.	4	1966

F

Ferrante, Silvio	286 Hayward St.	6	1964
Fillis, John R.	429 Commercial St.	5	1964
Finocchiario, Edward A.	57 Edgehill Rd.	6	1964
Fletcher, Albion R.	135 West St.	3	1964
Foley, Paul P.	46 Winter St.	1	1966
Fournier, Paul Leo	29 Brewster Ave.	1	1964
Frawley, Ernest D.	20 Ash St.	3	1966
Frazier, John H.	30 Franklin St.	2	1966
Frazier, Robert E.	347 Pearl St.	2	1964
Frogel, Reuben H.	170 Quincy Ave.	6	1964

G

Galebach, Henry G.	66 Parkside Circle	3	1966
Garland, George W.	8 Willard St.	5	1965
Gawlowicz, Mitchell W.	345 Tremont St.	3	1965
Gawlowicz, Robert M.	345 Tremont St.	3	1966
Gould, Kenneth N.	157 Storrs Ave.	3	1966
Grady, Charles M.	54 Arbutus Ave.	1	1964
Gray, Gerald J.	81 School St.	4	1965
Gray, Gordon F.	7 Pantano St.	5	1964
Griffin, John F.	227 River St.	4	1966
Grondin, Robert O.	111 Arborway Dr.	6	1966
Gurney, Maurice R.	42 Portland Rd.	2	1964
Gustafson, William H.	20 Perry Rd.	4	1964

H

Hall, Joseph F.	45 Thayer Rd.	6	1965
Halpin, Mary A.	34 Brow Ave.	2	1965
Hart, Leo J.	125 Monatiquot Ave.	3	1965
Hart, Leo, J., Jr.	110 Academy St.	2	1964
Hauber, Joseph M., Jr.	195 Shaw St.	6	1966
Hedman, John G.	247 River St.	4	1966
Hennessey, Walter	2113 Washington St.	1	1965
Hollis, Herbert B.	607 Washington St.	3	1966
Holt, Harry E.	601 Washington St.	3	1964
Hutton, Robert M.	8 Lincoln St.	5	1964

I

Ingmanson, Knute	1 Proctor Rd.	2	1964
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J

Johnson, Carl W. R.	112 Jefferson St.	1	1966
Johnson, Raymond V.	90 Edgehill Rd.	6	1965

Jones, G. Vinton	10 Stetson St.	5	1966
Jordan, James L.	77 Hollingsworth Ave.	3	1965
Juster, Joseph H.	12 Veranda Rd.	6	1964

K

Kazanowski, Joseph C.	22 Cleveland Ave.	4	1965
Keefe, Barbara M.	86 Edgehill Rd.	6	1966
Keith, E. Harrison,	57 Burroughs Rd.	4	1964
Kelley, Charles J.	140 Forest St.	1	1965
Kenyon, Robert W.	33 Pleasant St.	4	1965
Killam, Lillian E.	306 Union St.	4	1966
King, Charles W., Jr.	29 Bradford Rd.	1	1964
Kirkland, Walter C., Jr.	63 Amherst Rd.	2	1966
Klay, Frederick J.	89 Academy St.	2	1965
Kormann, Martin E.	154 Middle St.	4	1964

L

Laing, Donald J.	82 Standish Ave.	1	1965
Lake, Henry C.	80 Division St.	1	1965
Lambert, John J.	41 Beechwood Rd.	6	1965
Lammers, William F.	20 Maple St.	3	1964
LaTanzi, Arigo L.	455 Middle St.	4	1966
Lawrence, Edgar B.	27 Crawford Rd.	2	1966
Leetch, John F.	372 Hancock St.	1	1964
Lento, Vincent J., Jr.	213 Washington St.	3	1965
Leonard, Roger J.	175 Middle St.	4	1965
LeRoy, John W., Jr.	24 Harrison Ave.	4	1964
Libby, Allison I.	22 Pantano St.	5	1965
Littlejohn, Thomas A., Jr.	58 Hillside Rd.	4	1965
Long, Edward P.	289 Tremont St.	2	1965
Low, William H.	59 Cleveland Ave.	4	1965
Lyon, Bruce W.	258 Jefferson St.	1	1966
Lyons, Harvey G., Jr.	16 Highland Ave., East	5	1966

M

Magaldi, Joseph M.	65 Wayne Ave.	1	1966
Maguire, Frank T.	12 Strathmore Rd.	4	1966
Mahar, John W.	55 Cleveland Ave.	4	1964
Malcolm, Angus Ross	10 Dobson Rd.	5	1966
Maloof, Fred G.	27 Ardmore St.	6	1965
Mann, Charles W.	18 Faulkner Pl.	3	1965
Martell, Arthur G.	45 Bowditch St.	5	1966
Matthews, Robert W.	55 Tremont St.	2	1966
Matthews, Thomas H.	161 Cedar St.	4	1965
Mattie, Walter J., Jr.	57 Magnolia St.	5	1965
McCormack, Robert V.	49 Massachusetts Ave.	1	1965
McCue, James P.	7 Wainwright St.	6	1964
McDonnell, John L.	17 Stetson St.	5	1965
McGowan, Frank M., Jr.	52 Brewster Ave.	1	1966
McGibbon, Arthur H.	1397 Washington St.	1	1965
McLaughlin, Charles H.	19 Bradley Rd.	4	1965
McMaster, Richard L.	15 Hemlock St.	2	1965
McNealy, Richard H.	35 Arbutus Ave.	1	1965
Metayer, Elizabeth N.	33 Arthur St.	6	1966
Mitchell, Robert J.	32 Tingley Rd.	5	1964
Morrison, Archie T.	555 Liberty St.	2	1965
Morrison, Clyde W.	620 Liberty St.	2	1966

Morrissey, James A.	12 Parkside Ave.	3	1964
Morse, Charles E.	37 Holbrook Ave.	2	1964
Morton, Lewis Bradford, Jr.	31 Lisle St.	5	1964
Mochen, Kevin J.	58 Elmlawn Rd.	4	1966
Mullowney, Henry G.	55 Elmwood Park	6	1964
Murray, Leo C.	31 Hunt Ave.	4	1964

N

Nagle, Ramon A.	578 Middle St.	5	1965
Newcomb, Harold A.	21 Hillcrest Rd.	5	1966
Nickerson, Franklin B.	36 Old Coach Rd.	1	1964

O

Oakman, Otis B., Jr.	176 West St.	3	1964
O'Brien, Joseph T.	105 Pleasant View Ave.	6	1965
O'Keefe, Paul B.	674 Granite St.	2	1966
Opie, Hugh L., Jr.	22 Sampson Ave.	3	1966
O'Rourke, John F.	366 Hancock St.	1	1965

P

Page, Joseph F.	6 Fallon Circle	2	1964
Parker, Charles C.	185 Middle St.	4	1966
Parker, Stanley W.	624 Commercial St.	5	1964
Parsons, Richard G.	12 Coolidge Ave.	4	1965
Peterson, Carl C.	6 Peterson Rd.	2	1965
Peterson, Richard J.	284 Common St.	3	1966
Pinault, Norris H.	105 Middle St.	4	1965
Polio, John V.	6 Porter Ave.	1	1966
Potter, Norton P.	242 Tremont St.	2	1966
Powers, Rodney C.	146 Parkside Ave.	3	1965
Pratt, John	69 Wildwood Ave.	1	1964
Pratt, Merton L.	23 Highland Ave.	1	1964
Pyle, George W., Jr.	36 Academy St.	2	1964

Q

Quinlan, John J., Jr.	14 Marietta Ave.	6	1964
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R

Raymond, Russell D.	27 Hickory Rd.	2	1964
Reynolds, Ernest S.	1324 Liberty St.	1	1966
Roberts, Theron M.	144 Liberty St.	5	1965
Rose, Edward J.	35 Trafton Dr.	6	1964
Russo, John S.	17 West St.	3	1966

S

Sakrison, Carl B., Jr.	208 Shaw St.	5	1966
Sears, Harry T.	1365 Washington St.	1	1964
Shannon, James A.	55 Abbott St.	3	1964
Shea, Robert	43 Ardmore St.	6	1965
Shultz, Rodger G.	17 Judson St.	3	1965
Shuster, Ruth W.	141 West St.	3	1965
Skinner, W. Edwin	16 Atherton St.	5	1964
Smart, Robert T.	104 Pleasant View Ave.	6	1966
Smith, Stanley E.	147 Cleveland Ave.	4	1964

Southworth, Stacy B.	45 Hobart Ave.	2	1964
Stanley, Robert K.	113 Wildwood Ave.	1	1965
Starkey, Gerard J.	29 Academy St.	2	1965
Stenberg, Arthur E.	632 Liberty St.	2	1964
Stenberg, John A.	11 Olofson St.	1	1964
Stevenson, Stewart A.	163 River St.	4	1964
Stewart, Lloyd	365 Grove St.	1	1965
Stovold, Natalie H.	34 Trefton Dr.	6	1965
Stovold, William H.	34 Trefton Dr.	6	1966
Strathdee, Wallace B.	661 Liberty St.	2	1966
Sullivan, Cornelius L.	2121 Washington St.	1	1965
Sullivan, James E.	29 Bowditch St.	5	1966

T

Tedesco, James B.	115 Grove St.	2	1966
Thayer, Gordon O.	714 Washington St.	2	1964
Timmons, Charles E.	55 Arthur St.	6	1964
Tinson, Sidney B.	198 Liberty St.	5	1966
Towne, Hiram C.	160 Hawthorn Rd.	4	1964
Trask, Gordon E.	175 Arnold St.	4	1965

V

Vitagliano, Carl R.	61 Plymouth Ave.	1	1964
Volpe, Louis J., Jr.	242 Elm St.	4	1964

W

Walsh, Gerald J.	10 Common St.	3	1966
Webber, William B.	509 Union St.	5	1964
Wells, Ernest M.	25 Bickford Rd.	6	1964
White, Rachel C.	54 Cochato Rd.	3	1965
White, Robert	1070 Liberty St.	1	1965
Whitman, Raymond W.	62 Beechwood Rd.	6	1965
Williams, Henry L.	28 Beechwood Rd.	6	1966
Withington, Whitney	29 Woodedge Ave.	1	1966
Wynot, Harold G.	17 Clark St.	3	1966

Y

Young, Calvin E.	36 Hunt Ave.	4	1964
Young, Paul H.	40 Wildwood Ave.	1	1964

TOWN ELECTION

Braintree, Massachusetts
March 4, 1963

In accordance with the foregoing Warrant, the voters assembled in their respective precincts to cast their ballots for the several Town Officers, also to vote for eighty-four Town Meeting Members.

The Polls were opened in all the Precincts at eight o'clock in the forenoon and were closed at eight in the evening.

The following Election Officers served:

PRECINCT 1A.

Warde, John Pratt; Clerk, John Ogle; and Ann C. Peterson, Erla J. Kershaw, Charlotte E. Stanley, June C. Vitagliano, Lucy D. Derby, Eileen Moore, Virginia M. Prario, Ruth R. Cameron, Antoinette H. McKee, Frances L. Lovell, Daisy M. Oakley, Cecilia D. Hutchinson, Mary J. Riley.

RETURNS received in Town Clerk's Office at 2:37 A.M.

PRECINCT 1B.

Warden, Robert L. Dawes; Clerk, Helen A. Roberts; and Mary A. Hall, Norma F. Adams, Frances Marie Parr, Helen M. Aiello, Eileen Donahue, Mary E. Sorrentino, Alice M. D'Acci, Nancy G. Nicosia, Pauline M. Graziano, Josephine M. DiBona, Marie A. Richardi, George L. Abell, Jessie Southwick.

RETURNS received in Town Clerk's Office at 1:27 A.M.

PRECINCT 2.

Warden, Charles F. Dasey; Clerk, Robert B. Fall; and Josephine Martino, Elizabeth L. McCarthy, Henry J. Barry, Carlene M. Sullivan, Esther M. Murray, Robert M. Sullivan, Astra A. Gentry, Mary M. Sullivan, Ella A. McKinnon, Gloria J. DelPico, Barbara M. Antonelli, Ardeth M. Browne, Callaghan Burke, Ellen F. Pierce, Kathleen A. Currie, Lillian G. Eisenhauer, Zelma R. Hoban.

RETURNS received in Town Clerk's Office at 4:03 A.M.

PRECINCT 3.

Warden, James F. Burns; Clerk, Alfred B. Hart; and Francina E. Ouimet, Lois P. West, Lillian Nordstrom, Patricia Bjorkman, Emma H. McGee, Marie G. Doyle, Marie F. Riley, Nina W. Curran, Grace E. Curran, Claire T. Leonard, Beatrice W. Silver, Dorothy A. Russo, Myrna E. Oak, Beatrice M. Doiron, Dorothy N. Montosi.

RETURNS received in Town Clerk's Office at 5:58 A.M.

PRECINCT 4.

Warden, Kenneth F. Haley; Clerk, Mary E. Green; and Mary J. Killory, Virginia Giachetti, Phyllis W. LeRoy, Cecelia G. Hufnagle, Josephine I. Eno, Ruth L. Trainor, Lorraine Kinneburgh, Louise Benson, Herbert Single, Helen A. Mattia, Ann T. O'Brien, Frank Mischler, Anna M. Drinkwater, Isabelle C. McLaughlin, Margaret E. MacDonald.

RETURNS received in Town Clerk's Office at 1:54 A.M.

PRECINCT 5.

Warden, Thomas F. Cassidy; Clerk, Kathleen Bjorkman; and Emma A. Cohoon, Helena K. Barrett, Mary E. Charles, Ruth E. Collins, Rose J. Bissett, Jeanne R. Churchill, Marguerite Grey, Florence Ellis, George Wright, Henry H. Storm, Marguerite Bernache, Sadie Thoren, Annie Peterson.

RETURNS received in Town Clerk's Office at 2:20 A.M.

PRECINCT 6.

Warden, Howard R. Beaver; Clerk, Ernestine F. Files; and Ruth P. Reed, Mildred M. Levangie, Gladys V. Fontoni, Bernice R. Murphy, Edgar G. Clark, Virginia F. Shields, Kathryn L. Sopp, Amelia B. Murphy, John J. Curley, Phyllis J. Kiely, Lillian F. Jenkins, Gladys K. LaMarine, Ida L. Knight.

RETURNS received in Town Clerk's Office at 1:45 A.M.

At the opening of the Polls the ballot boxes were inspected and found to be empty and the registers set to zero (0). The keys were placed in charge of the Warden's of the respective Precincts. The meetings were conducted in accordance with the Law.

At the close of the Polls when all votes had been canvassed, counted, recorded and ballots sealed according to law, they were then forwarded to the Town Clerk's Office where the figures were tabulated, proved and the results declared by the Board of Registrars.

TOTAL NUMBER OF VOTES CAST

PRECINCT 1A	900
PRECINCT 1B	557
PRECINCT 2	1444
PRECINCT 3	1048
PRECINCT 4	1107
PRECINCT 5	914
PRECINCT 6	710
	<u>6680</u>

Following is the result in detail:

For Selectmen (For Three Years)

	1A	1B	2	3	4	5	6	Total
Paul H. Young	585	262	747	674	662	442	377	3749
Nicholas L. Basile	121	195	328	121	112	108	94	1079
George F. Himmel	57	21	99	89	186	173	73	698
Cornelius L. Sullivan	127	64	233	139	138	171	146	1018
Blanks	<u>10</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>37</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>136</u>
	900	557	1444	1048	1107	914	710	6680

Paul H. Young elected and sworn by Town Clerk

For Board of Public Welfare (For Three Years)

Nicholas L. Basile	130	189	345	139	132	129	139	1203
George F. Himmel	77	32	122	113	258	298	105	1005
Cornelius L. Sullivan	176	103	325	173	178	106	180	1241
Paul H. Young	490	215	604	589	516	352	257	3023
Blanks	<u>27</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>48</u>	<u>34</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>29</u>	<u>29</u>	<u>208</u>
	900	557	1444	1048	1107	914	710	6680

Paul H. Young elected and sworn by Town Clerk

For School Committee (For Three Years)

Roger W. Arnold	455	219	745	514	586	458	345	3322
Robert J. Barrett	571	341	892	478	508	431	342	3563
Peter W. Anastos	256	182	431	422	324	293	282	2190
Robert F. Bonino	41	85	111	51	70	77	52	487
Joseph C. Kazanowski	95	50	139	144	289	153	120	990
Elizabeth K. Tausch	153	54	155	248	200	154	118	1082
Blanks	<u>229</u>	<u>183</u>	<u>415</u>	<u>239</u>	<u>237</u>	<u>262</u>	<u>161</u>	<u>1726</u>
	1800	1114	2888	2096	2214	1828	1420	13360

Roger W. Arnold and Robert J. Barrett elected and sworn by Town Clerk

For School Committee (For One Year to fill Vacancy)

Roger L. Amann	78	82	171	135	241	212	350	1269
John D. Callahan	197	105	361	194	203	305	174	1539
Angus Ross Malcolm	141	91	254	264	234	174	83	1241
Vincent R. Sorgi	131	132	212	60	92	45	32	704
Whitney Withington	300	92	300	319	260	125	46	1442
Blanks	<u>53</u>	<u>55</u>	<u>146</u>	<u>76</u>	<u>77</u>	<u>53</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>485</u>
	900	557	1444	1048	1107	914	710	6680

John D. Callahan elected and sworn by Town Clerk

For Planning Board (For Five Years)

William F. Baker	544	312	929	733	793	607	498	4416
Franklin B. Nickerson	279	160	354	207	235	216	159	1610
Blanks	<u>77</u>	<u>85</u>	<u>161</u>	<u>108</u>	<u>79</u>	<u>91</u>	<u>53</u>	<u>654</u>
	900	557	1444	1048	1107	914	710	6680

William F. Baker elected and sworn by Town Clerk

For Park Commissioner (For Three Years)

Edgar B. Lawrence	563	286	935	802	841	618	503	4548
William J. Rizzo	261	198	398	150	195	212	163	1577
Blanks	<u>76</u>	<u>73</u>	<u>111</u>	<u>96</u>	<u>71</u>	<u>84</u>	<u>44</u>	<u>555</u>
	900	557	1444	1048	1107	914	710	6680

Edgar B. Lawrence elected and sworn by Town Clerk

For Sewer Commissioner (For Three Years)

William G. Dyer	741	422	1180	891	941	744	621	5540
Blanks	<u>159</u>	<u>135</u>	<u>264</u>	<u>157</u>	<u>166</u>	<u>170</u>	<u>89</u>	<u>1140</u>
	900	557	1444	1048	1107	914	710	6680

William G. Dyer elected and sworn by Town Clerk

For Sewer Commissioner (For Two Years to fill Vacancy)

Gerald J. Gray	419	264	759	426	521	377	306	3072
Forrest A. Parmenter	374	203	509	494	474	440	337	2831
Blanks	107	90	176	128	112	97	67	777
	<u>900</u>	<u>557</u>	<u>1444</u>	<u>1048</u>	<u>1107</u>	<u>914</u>	<u>710</u>	<u>6680</u>

Gerald J. Gray elected and sworn by Town Clerk

For Water Commissioner (For Three Years)

Howard J. Rose	743	420	1203	884	960	771	626	5607
Blanks	157	137	241	164	147	143	84	1073
	<u>900</u>	<u>557</u>	<u>1444</u>	<u>1048</u>	<u>1107</u>	<u>914</u>	<u>710</u>	<u>6680</u>

Howard J. Rose elected and sworn by Town Clerk

For Municipal Lighting Board (For Three Years)

Walter J. Hansen	735	412	1179	878	956	777	627	5564
Scattering						1		1
Blanks	165	145	265	170	151	136	83	1115
	<u>900</u>	<u>557</u>	<u>1444</u>	<u>1048</u>	<u>1107</u>	<u>914</u>	<u>710</u>	<u>6680</u>

Walter J. Hansen elected and sworn by Town Clerk

For Assessor (For Three Years)

Calvin E. Young	726	421	1206	868	941	763	615	5540
Scattering	2			1				3
Blanks	172	136	238	179	166	151	95	1137
	<u>900</u>	<u>557</u>	<u>1444</u>	<u>1048</u>	<u>1107</u>	<u>914</u>	<u>710</u>	<u>6680</u>

Calvin E. Young elected and sworn by Town Clerk

For Board of Health (For Three Years)

Mary A. Halpin	747	422	1226	890	958	763	617	5623
Blanks	153	135	218	158	149	151	93	1057
	<u>900</u>	<u>557</u>	<u>1444</u>	<u>1048</u>	<u>1107</u>	<u>914</u>	<u>710</u>	<u>6680</u>

Mary A. Halpin elected and sworn by Town Clerk

For Moderator (For One Year)

John J. Canavan	735	408	1178	881	937	744	615	5498
Blanks	165	149	266	167	170	170	95	1182
	<u>900</u>	<u>557</u>	<u>1444</u>	<u>1048</u>	<u>1107</u>	<u>914</u>	<u>710</u>	<u>6680</u>

John J. Canavan elected and sworn by Town Clerk

For Tree Warden (For One Year)

John F. Leetch	751	416	1214	888	951	749	616	5585
Scattering			1	1				2
Blanks	149	141	229	159	156	165	94	1093
	<u>900</u>	<u>557</u>	<u>1444</u>	<u>1048</u>	<u>1107</u>	<u>914</u>	<u>710</u>	<u>6680</u>

John F. Leetch elected and sworn by Town Clerk

For Housing Authority (For Five Years)

Paul B. O'Keefe	689	400	1160	820	907	701	603	5280
Scattering	1							1
Blanks	<u>210</u>	<u>157</u>	<u>284</u>	<u>228</u>	<u>200</u>	<u>213</u>	<u>107</u>	<u>1399</u>
	900	557	1444	1048	1107	914	710	6680

Paul B. O'Keefe elected and sworn by Town Clerk

For Commissioner of Trust Funds (For Three Years)

Joseph F. Connolly	717	404	1173	830	904	708	604	5340
Blanks	<u>183</u>	<u>153</u>	<u>271</u>	<u>218</u>	<u>203</u>	<u>206</u>	<u>106</u>	<u>1340</u>
	900	557	1444	1048	1107	914	710	6680

Joseph F. Connolly elected and sworn by Town Clerk

For Commissioner of Trust Funds (For One Year to fill vacancy)

Arthur L. Whitten	725	422	1198	896	930	747	616	5534
Blanks	<u>175</u>	<u>135</u>	<u>246</u>	<u>152</u>	<u>177</u>	<u>167</u>	<u>94</u>	<u>1146</u>
	900	557	1444	1048	1107	914	710	6680

Arthur L. Whitten elected and sworn by Town Clerk

Question No. 1

Yes	198	190	500	235	257	228	216	1824
No	675	319	873	776	825	651	467	4586
Blanks	<u>27</u>	<u>48</u>	<u>71</u>	<u>37</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>35</u>	<u>27</u>	<u>270</u>
	900	557	1444	1048	1107	914	710	6680

Question No. 2

Yes	392	266	716	457	512	396	376	3115
No	450	222	603	520	529	446	298	3068
Blanks	<u>58</u>	<u>69</u>	<u>125</u>	<u>71</u>	<u>66</u>	<u>72</u>	<u>36</u>	<u>497</u>
	900	557	1444	1048	1107	914	710	6680

PRECINCT 1

13 Town Meeting Members (For Three Years)

*Joseph Aiello	683	*Whitney Withington	729
*Albert Avitabile	914	Arthur H. Brennan	499
*Robert J. Barrett	923	Thomas N. Cummings	455
*Almeda Walker Cain	853	Francis A. DeFrancesco	406
*William H. Colligan	675	Charles E. Gale	538
*Paul P. Foley	750	William F. Inglis	378
*Carl W. R. Johnson	810	Richard K. LaVangie	436
*Bruce W. Lyon	634	*Frank M. McGowan, Jr.	621
*Joseph M. Magaldi	655	Joseph D. McNutt	573
*Ernest S. Reynolds	742	*John V. Polio	634

*-Elected

PRECINCT 2

14 Town Meeting Members (For Three Years)

*Felix H. Atkinson	976	*Paul B. O'Keefe	920
*Howard L. Baker	962	*Norton P. Potter	943
*J. Warren Cuff	988	*Wallace B. Strathdee	962
*William J. Dignan	1001	*James B. Tedesco	880
*John H. Frazier	1023	*Arthur L. Dalton, Jr.	916
*Edgar B. Lawrence	974	*Walter C. Kirkland, Jr.	761
*Robert W. Matthews	941	Anthony S. Leo	704
*Clyde W. Morrison	947		

*-Elected

PRECINCT 3

14 Town Meeting Members (For Three Years)

*James G. Buckley	785	*John S. Russo	672
*Harold A. Donahoe, Jr.	711	*Harold G. Wynot	761
*Ernest D. Frawley	755	*Robert M. Baker	697
*Henry G. Galebach	804	*George E. Carnes	642
*Kenneth N. Gould	773	*Robert M. Gawlowicz	676
*Herbert B. Hollis	853	Max Pearlstein	477
*Hugh L. Opie, Jr.	766	*Gerald J. Walsh	558
*Richard J. Peterson	719		

*-Elected

1 Town Meeting Member (For One Year to fill Vacancy)

*James A. Morrissey	362	Elizabeth K. Tausch	332
Lawrence R. Norton	210		

*-Elected

PRECINCT 4

14 Town Meeting Members (For Three Years)

*Roger W. Arnold	752	*Kevin J. Mochen	603
*Gilbert L. Bean	810	*Charles C. Parker	704
*A. Winton Caird	719	*Grafton J. Bowman	638
*Lee Cisneros	693	*Robert B. Carnes	523
*Herbert H. Eno	816	Matthew C. Gannon	429
*John G. Hedman	722	Joseph A. Graziano	379
*Lillian E. Killam	760	*John F. Griffin	529
*Arigo L. LaTanzi	785	John F. Hughes	470
*Frank T. Maguire	749	John F. Mulloy	492

*-Elected

1 Town Meeting Member (For Two Years to fill Vacancy)

Abbott F. Baker	331	*Joseph C. Kazanowski	455
Charles J. Kane	180		

*-Elected

PRECINCT 5

13 Town Meeting Members (For Three Years)

*Everett A. Buker	627	*Harold A. Newcomb	580
*Thomas F. Cassidy	608	*Carl B. Sakrison, Jr.	551
*Harold J. Clancy	534	*James E. Sullivan	553
*Marjorie L. Crispin	586	*Sidney B. Tinson	536
*Henry J. Diotte	537	Philip Fay, Jr.	436
*G. Vinton Jones	615	Lawrence T. Gingrow	392
*Harvey G. Lyons, Jr.	582	Paul F. Keane	376
*Angus Ross Malcolm	607	*Arthur G. Martell	476

*-Elected

1 Town Meeting Member (For One Year to fill Vacancy)

Thomas E. Coyle	261	Robert W. Tumulty	184
*William H. Dykstra	344		

*-Elected

PRECINCT 6

12 Town Meeting Members (For Three Years)

*Jack R. Ainsleigh	499	*Robert T. Smart	553
*John E. Cannon	574	*William H. Stovold	564
*Walter E. Delory	576	*Henry L. Williams	546
*Frank H. Diekmeyer	566	*Janice C. Bloomingdale	422
*Robert O. Grondin	549	Edward A. Finocchairo	407
*Joseph M. Hauber, Jr.	542	*Barbara M. Keefe	536
*Elizabeth N. Metayer	562		

*-Elected

1 Town Meeting Member (For Two Years to fill Vacancy)

Edward C. Curran	170	*John J. Lambert	476
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*-Elected

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Art. 41	Sewer in Farm & Monatiquot River Valleys			400,000.00N

	Reconsideration tabled		
	Reconsideration from the Table		
Art. 42	Sewer in Pond Meadow Drainage Valley		
Art. 43	General Storage Building for Park Department and Public Schools	\$ 5,000.00	
Art. 44	Addition to Liberty School	15,000.00	
Art. 45	Construction of Elementary School on Plain Street		
Art. 46	Addition to Noah Torrey Primary School	2,500.00	
	Reconsideration		
Art. 47	Acquisition of Sites for future Elementary Schools		
Art. 48	Regional Vocational School District Planning Committee	2,500.00	
Art. 49	Construction of Sidewalks on cer- tain Streets	7,761.50	
Art. 50	Baseball Backstop at French's Common		
Art. 51	Transfer of land to Park and Play- ground Commissioners		
Art. 52	Acquisition of Site for Park and Playground	2,000.00	
Art. 53	Amend Building Code, Fire Detec- tion Alarm Systems		
Art. 54	Amend Zoning By-laws, Traffic Visability across Corners		
Art. 55	Amend Zoning By-laws, land on easterly side of Washington Street		
Art. 56	Acceptance as Town Ways: Winter Street, Birch Street, Tower Hill Road		
Art. 57	Acceptance as Town Way: Meadow- brook Road		
Art. 58	Acceptance as Town Way: Forbes Road	3,263.55	
Art. 59	Acceptance as Town Way: Ivory Street		
Art. 60	Acceptance as Town Way: Selwyn Road		
Art. 61	Acceptance as Town Way: Old Country Way		
Art. 62	Acceptance as Town Ways: Nor- folk Road and Helen Road		
Art. 63	Acceptance as Town Way: Bel- knap Road		
Art. 64	Acceptance as Town Way: Put- nam Avenue	668.75	
Art. 65	Construction of Sidewalks on certain Streets	12,828.50	
Art. 66	Construction of Sewers on certain Streets Reconsideration (Refer to Art. 39)	52,800.00	100,000.00
Art. 67	First Parish Cemetery (Refer to Art. 14, Item 35)		
Art. 68	Unpaid Bills	733.18	

	\$	681.81	
		<u>222.05</u>	
Appropriations to be raised by Taxation	\$6,460,086.09		
Appropriations not in Tax Levy			\$2,190,883.58
Total Appropriations			\$8,650,969.67

Code:

- A Braintree Housing Authority
- B Parking Meter Reserve Account
- C Electric Light Department Reserve
Account
- D Assistance Previous Years Account
(Welfare)
- E Dog License Receipts
- F Available Funds in the Treasury
- G Charles Thayer Trust Fund
- H Golf Club Reserve
- I Water Department Revenue 1963
- J Electric Light Department Revenue
1963
- K Electric Light Department Revenue
1963 or other available funds of
Electric Light Department
- L Overlay Surplus Reserve
- M Water Department Reserve at end
of 1962
- N Bonds or Notes
- O Sewer Receipts reserved for
appropriation

TOWN OF BRAINTREE
ANNUAL TOWN MEETING
MONDAY, MARCH 18, 1963

Pursuant to a Warrant duly issued, the Annual Town Meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Braintree, represented by their duly elected and qualified Town Meeting Members, was held in the Braintree Town Hall on Monday, March 18, 1963.

The meeting was called to order at 7:55 o'clock in the evening by the Moderator, Mr. John J. Canavan.

Prayer for Divine Guidance was offered by Rev. John R. Dallinger, Pastor of the Emanuel Episcopal Church.

The meeting stood for a moment of silent prayer in memory of the following Town Meeting Members who have passed away since the last Town Meeting: Sophie G. Blunt, Precinct 3; Harold W. Cairns, Precinct 4; Thomas R. Huleatt, Precinct 4.

The Moderator recognized the presence of student representatives from the Braintree High School, Thayer Academy, Archbishop Williams High School, Sacred Heart High School, exchange students from Mission High School in Roxbury, Quincy High School Class in Democracy accompanied by Mrs. Robinson. The Town Meeting Members applauded the presence of the student visitors.

Newly elected Town Meeting Members were sworn by the Town Clerk.

There were 203 Town Meeting Members present.

The Moderator declared a quorum present.

The following Tellers were appointed by the Moderator to serve during the course of the evening:

Herbert B. Hollis
Paul B. O'Keefe
John A. Stenberg
Marjorie Bates

Charles C. Parker
Mary A. Halpin
John J. Corbett
Elizabeth N. Metayer

We now continue with consideration of the Articles in the Warrant.

ARTICLE 1. To choose Town Officers except those elected by ballot.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: The election of Daniel A. Maloney, Shelley A. Neal and Joseph F. Connolly as Measurers of Lumber; and the election of Dominic F. Diauto, Matthew McCusker and George A. Williams as Measurers of Wood and Weighers of Hay.

ARTICLE 2. Reports of Boards and Committees and choosing of Committees.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That Article 2 be taken up in conjunction with all other Articles in the Warrant.

ARTICLE 3. Authorizing Treasurer to borrow in anticipation of 1963 revenue.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1963 and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year, in accordance with the provisions of Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

ARTICLE 4. Authorizing Treasurer to borrow in anticipation of 1964 revenue.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1964 and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year, in accordance with the provisions of Section 17, Chapter 44, of the General Laws.

ARTICLE 2.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That By-law time restrictions found in Article II, Section 5, not apply to the Chairman of Personnel Board while Warrant Articles 5 through 14 are before the Annual Town Meeting.

ARTICLE 5. Amendment of Schedules A and B of the Salary Administration Plan.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That Schedules A and B of the Salary Administration Plan be amended as shown in the annual report of the Personnel Board as follows:

The following position reclassifications in Schedule A of the Salary Plan:

- Town Accountant from ATP Group D to ATP Group C.
- Asst. Supt. Fire from PF Group F to PF Group D
- (With elimination of PF Group F designation)
- Asst. to Highway Supt. from 00 Group A to 00 Group B
- (With elimination of Group A designation including job title and rates.)

The addition of the following new classifications in Schedule A of the Salary Plan:

Extra Clerical	00 Group F-1
Police Matron	PF Group L
Gas Inspector	Misc. Group H

The following changes in Schedule B of the Salary Plan:

Extra Clerical	00 Group F-1	\$1.45/hr.	
Police Specialist	PF Group H	\$208/yr.	to \$400/yr.
Police Specialist (Sgt.)	PF Group I	\$260/yr.	to \$450/yr.
Police Matron	PF Group L	\$2.00/hr.	(\$6.00 min.)
Inspector of Wiring	Misc. Grp. D	\$2625/yr.	to \$3600/yr.
Town Dentist	Misc. Grp. L	\$4.99/hr.	to \$4500/yr.

ARTICLE 6. General increases within the Salary Administration Plan.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: Indefinite postponement.

ARTICLE 7. Amend Salary Administration Plan, Part II, Section 2(c).

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That Part II, Section 2(c) be amended by striking out the second sentence and substituting therefore the following: "Such reviews shall be scheduled at the written request of the Department Head and at the discretion of the Personnel Board."

ARTICLE 8. Amend Salary Administration Plan, Part III, Section 8.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That Part III, Section 8 - Vacations, be amended by adding thereto the following paragraph: "All employees must take vacations during the calendar year vacation is due. No employee will receive payment in lieu of vacation or any portion thereof nor shall he be employed as a substitute in his department during his vacation period except in the case of an emergency, and then only with written consent of the Personnel Board."

ARTICLE 9. Amend Salary Administration Plan, Part III, Section 4(b).

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That Part III, Section 4(b) - New Personnel, be amended to read as follows: "Except with reference to I.T.S. Classifications, the first six months of employment shall be a probationary period, at the end of which the employee may advance one step-rate, provided the Department Head and the Personnel Board decide his performance warrants it. Otherwise, he shall come up for consideration after one year of continuous full-time service."

ARTICLE 10. Amend Salary Administration Plan, Part III, Longevity.

SO VOTED: Indefinite postponement.

ARTICLE 11. Amend Salary Administration Plan, Part III, Differential Pay.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: Indefinite postponement.

ARTICLE 12. Designate certain elected officials as "full time" employees.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: Indefinite postponement.

ARTICLE 13. Upon motion duly made by Mr. McConnell, it was

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That Article 13 be taken up in conjunction with Article 14.

ARTICLE 14. Funds for Interest. Maturing Debt and Town Departments.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That there be raised and appropriated or transferred from available funds for maturing debt and interest and for charges and expenses of the Town Departments, the following appropriations: The salaries of the elective Town Officers in each case to be for the calendar year 1963, except any salary increase for elective officers which may be approved shall not become effective before the beginning of the fourteenth week of 1963.

That \$13,308,01 be transferred from receipts reserved for appropriations to the Town received from the Braintree Housing Authority, to be used by the assessors in determination of the tax rate for 1963.

\$ 13,308.01

GENERAL GOVERNMENT (Items 1-15):

1. Moderator	\$ 25.00	25.00
2. Finance Committee		
Salary-Secretary	550.00	
Expenses	<u>1,117.00</u>	1,667.00
(3. Selectment to be considered later)		
4. General Government Incidentals	<u>675.00</u>	675.00
(5. Accountant to be considered later)		
(6. Engineering to be considered later)		
(7. Assessors to be considered later)		
(8. Treasurer to be considered later)		
9. Tax Collector		
Salary-Tax Collector	7,800.00	
Salary-Principal Clerk	4,043.00	
Salary Adjustment	140.00	
Extra Clerical	750.00	
Recording and Taking	500.00	
Expenses	5,014.00	
New Equipment:		
Electric Time Stamp	85.00	
Shelving	<u>50.00</u>	18,382.00
10. Town Clerk		
Salary-Town Clerk	7,600.00	
Salary-Principal Clerk	4,225.00	
Extra Clerical Indexing Statistics	600.00	
Binding Statistics and Town Records	250.00	
Expenses	1,025.00	
Printing and Advertising	848.00	
Town Meeting Recordings and		
Public Address System	<u>515.00</u>	15,063.00
11. Elections		
Salaries-Officials and Janitors	2,100.00	
Expenses	920.00	
Repairs	<u>100.00</u>	3,120.00
12. Registration		
Salaries-Board	300.00	
Listing Expense (11¢ per completed form)	2,100.00	
Town Clerk	200.00	
Salary-Clerk	3,939.00	
Extra Clerical	350.00	
Expenses	<u>2,735.00</u>	9,624.00

13. Planning Board			
Clerical	\$	480.00	
Office Expense and Stenotype Service		250.00	
Meeting Expenses, Dues, and Mileage		400.00	
Printing and Legal Notices		500.00	
Planning Board Map Revision		100.00	
New Equipment:			
Office Furniture		<u>180.00</u>	\$ 1,910.00
14. Law			
Salary-Town Counsel		4,200.00	
Clerical Help		840.00	
Office Expense		600.00	
Settlement of Claims		750.00	
Land Damages		25,000.00	
Witness Fees, Trial and Litigation Expenses		<u>600.00</u>	31,990.00
15. Town Hall Maintenance			
Salary-Supervising Custodian		4,076.80	
Salary-Janitor Handyman		3,764.80	
Maintenance and Supplies		5,270.00	
Repairs		2,770.00	
Supplies-Photostat and Duplicator		200.00	
Overtime for Janitors		100.00	
New Equipment:			
Checkerette Racks		192.20	
Incinerator		680.00	
Alterations for Planning and Appeals Board		<u>700.00</u>	17,753.80
PROTECTION OF PERSONS & PROPERTY (Items 16-24)			
16. Board of Appeals-Zoning			
Salary-Secretary		295.00	
Expenses		<u>100.00</u>	395.00
(17. Fire Department to be considered later)			
(18. Fire Alarm System to be considered later)			
(19. Police Department to be considered later)			
(20. Tree Warden to be considered later)			
21. Building Inspector			
Salary-Inspector		5,486.00	
Salary Adjustment		166.25	
Salary-Deputy		105.00	
Expenses		575.00	
New Equipment-File Cabinet		<u>75.00</u>	6,407.25
(22. Wiring Inspector to be considered later)			
23. Sealer of Weights and Measures			
Salary		1,575.00	
Expenses		300.00	
New Equipment:			
Tape		<u>20.00</u>	1,895.00

24. Central Station Maintenance		
Utilities	\$ 1,600.00	
Repairs	1,168.00	
Supplies	600.00	
Fuel	2,000.00	
New Equipment:		
Window Shades (10)	30.00	
Light Fixtures	135.00	
Flushometers (2)	50.00	
Desk	<u>135.00</u>	\$ 5,718.00
25. Board of Health		
Salaries-Board	300.00	
Salary-Agent	5,304.00	
Salary-Principal Clerk	4,225.00	
Expenses	1,822.00	
Tuberculosis Care	22,500.00	
Diphtheria Clinic	275.00	
Inspection of Plumbing	4,000.00	
Gas Appliance Inspection	1,750.00	
Inspection of Animals and Meats (Salary)	550.00	
Testing of Milk and Water	600.00	
Dental Clinic (Including Salaries \$10,852.80)	12,500.00	
Tuberculosis Prevention	480.00	
Communicable Diseases	1,500.00	
Rabies Clinic	50.00	
Collection of Garbage	52,950.00	
Inspection of Public Eating Places	1,150.00	
Prematurely Born Infant Care	800.00	
Disposal of Dead Animals (Incl. \$500.00 Salary)	900.00	
Health Education	2,000.00	
Polio Clinic	2,000.00	
Pest Control	2,740.00	
Asian Flu Clinic	<u>40.00</u>	118,436.00
26. Sewer Department		
Salaries-Board	300.00	
Salary-Superintendent	8,400.00	
Salary-Clerk	4,241.25	
House Connections	69,500.00	
Maintenance	<u>25,500.00</u>	107,941.25

HIGHWAYS (Items 27-28)

(27. Highway Department was considered later)

28. Street Lighting	<u>51,000.00</u>	51,000.00
That of the sum of \$51,000.00 to be raised and appropriated for street lighting, \$40,000.00 to be transferred from the Electric Light Department Reserve Account and the sum of \$11,000.00 to be raised from the tax levy.		

WELFARE (Items 29-30)

29. Administration (Covering all Categories of Welfare)	
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Salaries-Board	\$ 600.00	
Salaries-Other	20,649.54	
Expenses	<u>1,500.00</u>	\$ 22,749.54
30. Assistance		
Aid to Dependent Children, Old Age Assistance, Disability Assistance, General Relief and Medical Assistance for the Aged.	<u>179,366.76</u>	179,366.76
That of the sum of \$179,366.76 raised and appropriated for Welfare Assistance, \$28,883.83 be transferred from the "Assistance Previous Years" account and the balance of \$150,482.93 be raised from the tax levy.		
31. Board of Trust Fund Commissioners		
Expenses	100.00	
Advisory Service	750.00	
Accounting Services	<u>300.00</u>	1,150.00
VETERAN'S BENEFITS (Item 32)		
32. Department of Veteran's Services		
Salary-Agent	6,266.00	
Salary-Clerk	3,211.00	
Salary Adjustment	182.00	
Extra Clerical	500.00	
Veteran's Benefits	80,000.00	
Expenses	<u>1,650.00</u>	91,809.00
SCHOOLS (Item 33)		
(33. Schools to be considered later)		
LIBRARY (Item 34)		
(34. Thayer Public Library to be considered later)		
CEMETERIES (Items 35-36)		
(35. Plain Street, Pond Street, First Parish Cemeteries to be considered later)		
36. Dyer Hill Cemetery	<u>100.00</u>	100.00
That the sum of \$100.00 appropriated for the Dyer Hill Cemetery be expended under the direction of the Town Treasurer and Richard A. Hunt and be raised by transfer from the income of the Charles Thayer Trust Fund.		
RECREATION (Items 37-38)		
37. Parks and Playgrounds		
Salary-Superintendent	6,800.00	
Salary-Secretary	360.00	
Labor	11,005.20	
Materials, Supplies and Repairs	<u>4,680.00</u>	

Expenses	\$ 3,250.00	
New Equipment:		
Bleachers	750.00	
Repairs-Specific:		
Paint Fence-French's Common	1,100.00	
Chain Link Fence-French's Common	195.00	
Organized Play		
Salary-Supervisor	1,105.00	
Salary-Instructors	9,321.50	
Salary-Retarded Children Supervisor	560.00	
Salary-Ass't. Teacher for Retarded Children	300.00	
Supplies and Expenses Retarded Children	90.00	
Transportation-Retarded Children	500.00	
Expenses	2,800.00	
Swimming Program		
Salary-Instructors	5,859.49	
Salary-Matron	410.00	
Salary-Caretaker	130.00	
Salary-Gateguard	858.00	
Expenses	900.00	
Golf Course		
Salary-Supervisor	2,318.40	
Labor	10,700.00	
Materials, Supplies and Repairs	4,000.00	
Club House Operating Expenses	500.00	
New Equipment:		
Greensmower	500.00	
Tractor Loader	4,450.00	
That the sum of \$4,450.00 be raised and appropriated with the proceeds of the turn-in sale of one 1955 tractor sale of which is hereby authorized to be used for the purchase of one tractor loader.		
New Construction:		
New Tees (4th & 9th)	3,000.00	
New Water Line	3,125.30	
Expenses	<u>3,000.00</u>	\$ 82,567.89
That of the total of \$82,567.89 appropriated for the Department of Parks and Playgrounds, the sum of \$31,593.70 be transferred from the Golf Club Reserve, and the balance of \$50,974.19 be raised in the tax levy.		
38. Town Forest		
Labor and Supplies	<u>600.00</u>	600.00
PENSIONS (Item 39-40)		
39. Non-Contributory Pensions	<u>72,921.64</u>	72,921.64
That the sum of \$72,921.64 raised and appropriated for Non-Contributory Retirement Pensions: \$2,888.70 to be taken from the revenue of the Water Department for the year 1963; \$2,355.19		

to be taken from the revenue of the Electric Light Department for the year 1963, and the balance of \$67,677.75 be raised from the tax levy.

40. Contributory Retirement

Salary-Chairman of the Board	\$	500.00	
Extra Clerical		1,050.00	
Pension Fund		76,486.50	
Special Fund (Servicemen)		153.49	
Workmen's Compensation		4.30	
Expenses		<u>1,758.25</u>	\$ 79,952.54

That the sum of \$114,316.04 required for contributory retirement pensions: \$7,759.50 to be taken from the revenue of the Water Department for the year 1963: \$26,604.00 to be taken from the revenue of the Electric Light Department for the year 1963, and the balance of \$79,952.54 to be raised and appropriated from the tax levy

41. Insurance Premiums

Employees Compensation	30,000.00	
Fire, Extended Coverage Bldg. & Contents	22,000.00	
Automobile Liability	8,300.00	
Boiler Insurance	<u>3,050.00</u>	63,350.00

41A. Group Insurance

<u>57,415.30</u>	57,415.30
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DEBT AND INTEREST (Items 42-43)

42. Maturing Debt

Sewer 2.20 1963	10,000.00
Sewer 2.10 1964	5,000.00
Sewer 2-1/2s 1973	20,000.00
Sewer 3.70 1974	15,000.00
Sewer 3-1/2s 1970	10,000.00
Sewer 3.25 1981	15,000.00
Sewer 2.70 1972	45,000.00
Water Standpipe 2.10 1969	3,000.00
Water Filter. Add'n 3.20 1977	10,000.00
Water Mains & Standpipes 2-1/2s 1973	20,000.00
Electric Light 1.75 1972	70,000.00
Electric Light 2.80 1978	75,000.00
Electric Light 3.10 1979	125,000.00
Library 2.10 1972	10,000.00
Old Liberty St. School	25,000.00
Watson School Add'n 3.20 1967	15,000.00
High School Addn' 2-1/4s 1968	40,000.00
Grade School 1.75 1970	35,000.00
Grade School 1.90 1972	65,000.00
Hollis School 2.10 1974	35,000.00
Perkins School Annex 2.10 1974	8,000.00
S. Jr. High School 2.10 1975	60,000.00
High School Add'n 3.30 1970	15,000.00

Jr. High School 3-1/2s 1980	\$115,000.00	
Monatiquot School	<u>35,000.00</u>	\$881,000.00

That of the sum of \$881,000.00 raised and appropriated for Maturing Debt; \$33,000.00 to be taken from the revenue of the Water Department for the year 1963; \$270,000.00 to be taken from the 1963 revenue or other available funds of the Electric Light Department; \$210,000.00 from available funds in the treasury and the balance of \$368,000.00 be raised from the tax levy.

43. Interest

Sewer Bonds	30,425.00	
Water Notes and Bonds	10,334.50	
Short Term Notes	12,000.00	
Electric Light Bonds	108,125.00	
Library Bonds	2,100.00	
High School Bonds	5,400.00	
Grade School Bonds	26,479.50	
So. Jr. High School Bonds	14,700.00	
Old Liberty St. School Bonds	7,920.00	
Watson School Add'n Bonds	2,400.00	
High School Add'n Bond	3,712.50	
Jr. High School Bonds	72,450.00	
Monatiquot School Bonds	<u>8,456.25</u>	304,502.75

That the sum \$304,502.75 raised and appropriated for interest; \$10,334.50 to be taken from the revenue of the Water Department for the year 1963; \$108,125.00 to be taken from the 1963 revenue or other available funds of the Electric Light Department; and the balance of \$186,043.25 to be raised from the tax levy.

44. Electric Light

Commissioners	<u>300.00</u>	300.00
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That the sum of \$300.00 appropriated for salaries of the Electric Light Commissioners be raised by transfer from the revenue of the Electric Light Department for 1963.

WATER DEPARTMENT (Items 45-46)

45. Commissioners	<u>300.00</u>	300.00
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That the sum of \$300.00 appropriated for the salaries of the Water Commissioners be raised by transfer from the Water Department revenue for 1963.

(46. Maintenance and Operation to be considered later)

47. Industrial Development Commission

Expenses	4,775.00	
Out of State Travel	<u>100.00</u>	4,875.00

(48. Personnel Board to be considered later)

(49. Civil Defense to be considered later)

UNCLASSIFIED (Items 50-59)

50. Reserve Fund	\$ 30,000.00	\$ 30,000.00
That the sum of \$30,000.00 for a Reserve Fund be raised by transfer of \$30,000.00 from the Overlay Surplus Reserve.		
51. Memorial Day (Legion \$250, V.F.W. \$250, Daughters \$125, D.A.V. \$125)	<u>750.00</u>	750.00
52. Town Reports	<u>1,783.88</u>	1,783.88
53. Maintenance of Legion Hall	<u>1,200.00</u>	1,200.00
54. Veterans of Foreign Wars (Rent)	<u>960.00</u>	960.00
55. Hydrant Service	<u>27,580.00</u>	27,580.00
(56. Chlorination of Sunset Lake to be considered later)		
57. Graves Registration Officer Expenses	<u>50.00</u>	50.00
58. South Shore Mosquito Control Project	<u>5,600.00</u>	5,600.00
59. Braintree Chapter D.A.V. (Rent)	<u>850.00</u>	850.00

ARTICLE 14, ITEM 3. Selectmen

That there be raised and appropriated the sum of \$8,850.00 as follows:

Salaries-Board	2,400.00
Salary-Executive Secretary	4,875.00
Extra Clerical and Vacations	250.00
Expenses	875.00
Mileage	450.00
New Equipment, Typewriter	<u>--- --</u>
	8,850.00

MOVED the following amendment by Mr. Paul Young:

That the sum of \$150.00 be raised and appropriated to be used for the purchase of a new typewriter.

Comes now the question on the amendment by Mr. Paul Young.

SO VOTED

Comes now the question on the motion as thus amended.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED

9,000.00

ARTICLE 14, ITEM 5. Accountant

That there be raised and appropriated the sum of \$11,684.50 as follows:

Salary-Town Accountant	\$ 6,800.00	
Salary-Ass't to Acc't	4,225.00	
Extra Clerical	50.00	
Expenses	400.00	
New Equipment, Adding Machine:	209.50	
That the sum of \$209.50 be raised and appropriated, with the turn-in of a 1951 Underwood adding machine, Serial No. 755024-10140D, the sale of which is hereby authorized, to be used for the purchase of a new adding machine.		
	<u>11,684.50</u>	

MOVED the following amendment by Mr. Laing:

That the salary of the Town Accountant be increased from \$6,800.00 to \$6,912.50 and the total sum raised and appropriated from \$11,684.50 to \$ 11,797.00

Comes now the question on the amendment by Mr. Laing.

SO VOTED

Comes now the question on the motion as thus amended.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED

ARTICLE 14, ITEM 6. Engineering

That there be raised and appropriated the sum of \$23,762.00 as follows:

Salary-Town Engineer	\$ 6,800.00	
Salary-Sr. Eng. Aide	5,733.00	
Salary-Sr. Eng. Aide	5,733.00	
Salary-Principal Clerk	4,225.00	
Expenses	<u>1,271.00</u>	\$ 23,762.00

Discussion ensued involving Mr. Paul Young and Mr. McConnell.

Comes now the question on the motion.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED

ARTICLE 14, ITEM 7. Assessors

That there be raised and appropriated the sum of \$23,612.75 as follows:

Salaries-Board	\$ 3,900.00	
Salary-Clerk Assessors	4,602.00	
Salary-Clerks (3)	10,920.00	
Salary Adjustments	36.75	
Salary-Field Engineer	830.00	
Abstract of Deeds	470.00	
Expenses	2,454.00	
Mileage	300.00	
Out of State Travel	<u>100.00</u>	\$ 23,612.75

MOVED the following amendment by Mr. Calvin Young:

That Expenses be increased from \$2,454.00 to \$2,853.24, Mileage be increased from \$300.00 to \$600.00, and that there be added for New Equipment, \$220.00 for an Adding Machine and \$135.00 for a Desk.

Discussion ensued involving Mr. Calvin Young and Mr. McConnell.

Comes now the question on the amendment by Mr. Calvin Young.

Vote was taken and the Moderator declared the amendment by Mr. Calvin Young LOST.

Comes now the question on the motion.

SO VOTED

ARTICLE 14, ITEM 8. Treasurer

That there be raised and appropriated the sum of \$19,997.50 as follows:

Salary-Treasurer	\$ 7,500.00
Salary-Clerks (2)	7,150.00
Salary Adjustments	206.50
Extra Clerical	600.00
Custodial Service	750.00
Parking Meter Office Expenses	60.00
That the sum of \$60.00 for Parking Meter Office Expense be raised by transfer from the Parking Meter Reserve Account.	
Expenses	3,531.00
New Equipment:	
Desk	200.00
	<u>\$ 19,997.50</u>

MOVED the following amendment by Mr. Hollis:

That the salary of the Treasurer shall be established at an annual rate of \$7,800.00, for which purpose the sum of \$7,725.00 shall be raised and appropriated for the year 1963.

Discussion ensued involving Mrs. Hedlund and Mr. Laing.

Comes now the question on the amendment by Mr. Hollis.

SO VOTED

Comes now the question on the motion as thus amended.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED

\$ 20,222.50

ARTICLE 14, ITEM 17. Fire Department.

That there be raised and appropriated the sum of \$352,255.05 as follows:

Salary-Chief	\$ 8,400.00
Salary-Ass't Chief	7,050.00
Salary-Deputies (3)	20,250.00
Salary-Captains (3)	19,344.00
Salary-Lieutenants (7)	41,730.00

Salary-Privates (25)	\$185,484.00
Salary-Mechanic	5,837.00
Salary-Fire Alarm Repair Man	5,590.00
Salary Adjustments	1,136.00
Salary-Vacations	17,508.67
Salary-Sickness	1,850.00
Salary-Overtime	8,500.00
Salary-Call Men	1,500.00
Holiday Pay	10,968.00
Uniforms	2,800.00
Out of State Travel	150.00
New Equipment	3,300.00
Chief's Car	1,400.00

That the sum of \$1,400.00 be raised and appropriated with the proceeds of the turn-in sale of a 1961 4-door Plymouth Sedan, which sale is hereby authorized to be used for the purchase of one new 1963 4-door sedan.

Utilities-E. Bra. Station	1,300.00	
Expenses-General	6,283.00	
Rebuild Motor-Aerial Ladder	1,224.38	
Repairs-Specific:		
Repairs to Cupola-E. Bra. Station	600.00	
Painting:		
Interior Painting-Highlands Sta.	<u>50.00</u>	\$352,255.05

MOVED the following amendment by Mr. Paul Young:

That there be raised and appropriated the sum of \$15,830.16 for four new men as follows: Salary, \$14,092.00; Vacations, \$420.00; Uniforms and incidentals, \$800.00; Holidays, \$518.16.

Discussion ensued involving Fire Chief Sears and Mr. McConnell.

Comes now the question on the amendment by Mr. Paul Young.

Vote was taken and the Moderator declared the amendment by Mr. Paul Young LOST.

Comes now the question on the motion.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED

ARTICLE 14, ITEM 18. Fire Alarm System

Salary-Ass't Super. Fire Alarm	\$ 5,954.00
Overtime pay	100.00
Vacations	458.00
Repairs to Radios	400.00
Uniforms	50.00
Replacing Cross Arms	750.00
Expenses-General	1,806.00
New Equipment:	
New Boxes (5)	1,000.00
Installation of Boxes	60.00
5 Miles Wire	700.00
Radio Receivers (7)	276.50
	<u>11,554.50</u>

MOVED the following amendment by Mr. Laing:

That Salary-Asst. Superintendent Fire Alarm be increased from \$5,954.00 to \$6,154.00 and that the total sum to be raised and appropriated be increased from \$11,554.50 to \$11,754.50. \$ 11,754.50

Comes now the question on the amendment by Mr. Laing.

SO VOTED

Comes now the question on the motion as thus amended.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED

ARTICLE 14, ITEM 19. Police Department

Salary-Chief	\$ 7,600.00
Salary-Deputy	6,462.50
Salary-Lieutenants (3)	20,250.00
Salary-Sergeants (6)	36,920.00
Salary-Patrolmen (37)	194,740.00

That of the total of \$194,740.00 to be raised and appropriated for salaries of patrolmen, the sum of \$4,695.85 be raised by transfer from the Parking Meter Reserve Account and the remaining \$190,044.15 be raised by the tax levy.

Salary-Clerk	3,939.00
Salary-Extra Men, Vacations, Sickness and Overtime	---
Salary-Vacations	12,485.00
Salary-Sickness and Injury	6,000.00
Salary-Court Time and Overtime	2,000.00
Salary-Extra Men	1,500.00
Salary-Men at Sunset Lake	1,400.00
Salary-Men Election Duty	508.75
Salary-Janitor Handyman	3,034.20
Salary-Patrolmen Tarantino Replacement	4,628.00
Salary Adjustments	1,706.87
Holiday Pay	10,066.83
Salary and Expenses-Dog Officer (Salary \$390)	515.00
Uniforms for Men	3,525.00
Radio Maintenance and Installation	309.00
Out of State Travel	100.00
Expenses-General	14,806.00

That the sum of \$14,806.00 to be raised and appropriated for expenses, the sum of \$75.00 for Parking Meter Maintenance and Repairs be raised by transfer from the Parking Meter Reserve Account and the remainder of \$14,731.00 be raised by the tax levy.

State Police School Expenses (4 Requested-2 Recommended)	400.00
Salary-Replacements for Men Attending State Police School	1,260.00
School Traffic	
Salary-Safety Officer	5,668.00

Salary-Supervisors (16)	\$ 18,677.50
Salary-Adjustments	494.25
Salary-Supervisor Sickness	250.00
Supervisors Equipment	350.00
School Traffic Auto Expenses	175.00
Salary-New Supervisor	721.00
Salary-Sickness-New Supervisor	15.00
Equipment-New Supervisor	204.90
New Equipment:	
Police Cars (4 Requested-3 Recommended)	7,800.00
That the sum of \$7,800.00 be raised and appropriated, with the proceeds of the turn-in sale of three 1961 station wagons, the sale of which is hereby authorized to be used for the purchase of three 1963 station wagons.	
Photocopier and Supplies	401.00
Typewriters and Stands (2 Requested-1 Recommended)	229.00
New Radios (8 Requested-5 Recommended)	3,880.00
That the sum of \$3,880.00 be raised and appropriated with the proceeds of the turn-in sale of five (5) Motorola car radios, the sale of which is hereby authorized, to be used for the purchase of five (5) new car radios.	
Salary-New Lieutenants (2)	---
Salary-New Patrolmen (6)	---
Salary-Adjustments-New Men	---
Salary-Vacations-New Men	90.00
Salary-Sickness-New Men	90.00
Holiday Pay-New Men	178.00
Uniforms-New Men	75.00
Salary-New Deputy	5,287.50
	<u>\$378,742.30</u>

Upon motion duly made by Mr. Laing the following amendment was

SO VOTED: That Salary Adjustments be increased from \$1,706.87 to \$2,281.37 and that the total figure to be raised and appropriated be increased from \$378,742.30 to \$379,316.80.

Discussion ensued involving Mr. McConnell and Police Chief Polio.

MOVED the following amendment by Police Chief Polio:

That the sum of \$5,287.50 for Salary-New Deputy be struck from the motion.

Discussion ensued involving Police Chief Polio, Mr. Parsons, Mr. Laing, Mr. Paul Young and Mr. Malcolm.

Comes now the question on the amendment by Police Chief Polio.

Vote was taken and the Moderator declared the amendment by Police Chief Polio

SO VOTED

MOVED the following amendment by Police Chief Polio:

That there be raised and appropriated the sum of \$9,412.50 for two new Police Lieutenants.

Police Chief Polio spoke on the amendment.

Comes now the question on the amendment by Police Chief Polio.

SO VOTED

MOVED the following amendment by Police Chief Polio:

That there be raised and appropriated the sum of \$20,826.00 for six new Police Patrolmen.

Discussion ensued involving Police Chief Polio, Mr. Parsons and Mr. Withington.

Comes now the question on the amendment by Police Chief Polio.

Vote was taken and the Moderator declared the amendment by Police Chief Polio lost. More than seven doubting the vote the Moderator ordered a Teller count. Vote and count were taken and the Tellers reported 83 votes in the affirmative and 91 votes in the negative. The Moderator then declared the amendment by Police Chief Polio LOST.

MOVED the following amendment by Police Chief Polio:

That there be raised and appropriated the sum of \$10,413.00 for three new Police Patrolmen.

Comes now the question on the amendment by Police Chief Polio.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED

Upon motion duly made, it was

SO VOTED: That the balance of Article 14, Item 19, Police Department, be laid on the table.

ARTICLE 14, ITEM 20. Tree Warden

That there be raised and appropriated the sum of \$11,855.00 as follows:

Salary-Tree Warden	\$ 2,500.00
Tree Removal	2,955.00
General Care	3,400.00
Planting New Trees	2,000.00
Tree Bank	1,000.00
	<u>\$ 11,855.00</u>

MOVED the following amendment by Mr. Leetch:

That Salary-Tree Warden be increased from \$2,500.00 to \$3,000.00 and that the total sum raised and appropriated be increased from \$11,855.00 to \$12,355.00.

Discussion ensued involving Mr. Leetch and Mr. McConnell.

Comes now the question on the amendment by Mr. Leetch.

Vote was taken and the Moderator being in doubt a Teller count was ordered. Vote and count were taken and the Tellers reported 91 votes in the affirmative and 79 votes in the negative. The Moderator then declared the amendment by Mr. Leetch

SO VOTED

Mr. McConnell stated that the sum of \$3,000.00 voted for Salary-Tree Warden should be \$2,875.00 as the period involved was only 39 weeks.

There being no objection the Moderator stated that the amendment would be reconsidered as follows:

That Salary-Tree Warden be increased from \$2,500.00 to \$2,875.00 and that the total sum raised and appropriated be increased from \$11,855.00 to \$12,230.00. \$ 12,230.00

Comes now the question on the amendment as thus restated.

SO VOTED

Comes now the question on the motion as thus amended.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED

ARTICLE 14, ITEM 22. Wiring Inspector

That there be raised and appropriated the sum of \$3,225.00 as follows:

Salary-Inspector	\$ 2,625.00
Salary-Deputy	100.00
Expenses	500.00
	<u>\$ 3,225.00</u>

MOVED the following amendment by Mr. Laing:

That Salary-Inspector be increased from \$2,625.00 to \$3,356.25 and the total sum to be raised and appropriated be increased from \$3,225.00 to \$3,956.25. \$ 3,956.25

Comes now the question on the amendment by Mr. Laing.

SO VOTED

Comes now the question on the motion as thus amended.

SO VOTED

ARTICLE 14, ITEM 27. Highway Department

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That there be raised and appropriated the sum of \$407,121.76 as follows:

Salary-Superintendent	\$ 8,000.00
Salary Adjustment	200.00
Other Salaries (Including Labor Dump)	212,000.00
Salary Adjustments	983.20
Materials, Supplies and Repairs	55,000.00

Chapter 90 Construction	\$ 56,000.00	
That the sum of \$56,000.00 be raised and appropriated for Chapter 90 Construction to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County or both for this purpose.		
Chapter 90 Maintenance	6,000.00	
That the sum of \$6,000.00 be raised and appropriated for Chapter 90 Maintenance to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County or both for this purpose.		
New Equipment:		
Truck Chassis	8,267.00	
Front End Loader	16,405.00	
That the sum of \$16,405.00 be raised and appropriated with the proceeds of the turn-in sale of one 1953 Duo-Scoop, the sale of which is hereby authorized, be used for the purchase of one Front End Loader.		
Two Way Radio	5,584.00	
Sand Spreader	2,000.00	
Street Marker	895.00	
That the sum of \$895.00 be raised and appropriated with the proceeds of the turn-in sale of one 1956 Mele Blumberg Street Marker, the sale of which is hereby authorized to be used for the purchase of one new street marker.		
Streets to be Resurfaced	3,162.56	
Moth Expenses (Salary \$550.00)	1,125.00	
That the sum of \$1125.00 be raised and appropriated for "Gypsy Moth Control"; \$550.00 to be for the salary of the Moth Superintendent and \$575.00 be expended under the direction of said Superintendent in conjunction with the Highway Department.		
Snow Removal	18,000.00	
Dump Fill	6,000.00	
Aerial Spraying	<u>7,500.00</u>	\$407,121.76

ARTICLE 14, ITEM 33. Schools

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That there be raised and appropriated the sum of \$3,370,561.00 for the support of the public schools together with the proceeds of the trade-in of: 42 Typewriters, 4 Sewing Machines, 2 Metal Lathes, 2 Wood Lathes, 1 Drill Press, sale of which is hereby authorized.

I Instructions	
Salaries	\$2,465,000.00
Expenses	57,643.00
Supplies	49,000.00
Other Expenses of Instruction	15,983.00
Total Instruction	<u>2,587,626.00</u>

II	Operation of School Plant		
	Custodial Service	\$	202,800.00
	Fuel		57,000.00
	Supplies		16,000.00
	Water		4,000.00
	Light and Power		35,000.00
	Telephone		9,500.00
	Total Operation of School Plant		<u>324,300.00</u>
III	Maintenance of School Plant		
	Salaries and Expenses		90,430.00
	Supplies		20,485.00
	Repairs-Specific		66,860.00
	Replacement of Equipment		7,070.00
	Total Maintenance of School Plant		<u>184,845.00</u>
IV	Auxiliary Agencies		
	Libraries		1,000.00
	Promotion of Health		31,800.00
	Director of Lunchrooms		6,200.00
	Transportation		101,310.00
	Tuitions		15,000.00
	Physical Education		22,150.00
	Graduation and Institutes		4,000.00
	Total Auxiliary Agencies		<u>181,460.00</u>
V	General Control		
	Salary-Superintendent		17,000.00
	Other General Salaries		47,770.00
	Other General Expenses		5,460.00
	School Committee Expenses		1,000.00
	Out of State Travel		1,500.00
	Total General Control		<u>72,730.00</u>
VI	Outlay		
	Alteration and Improvement to Grounds		2,000.00
VII	Evening School		7,200.00
VIII	School Athletic Fund		<u>10,400.00</u>
			\$3,370,561.00

ARTICLE 14, ITEM 34. Thayer Public Library

Salaries-Librarians	59,085.25
Salaries-Janitors	6,798.59
Binding	3,000.00
Expenses (Including Thayer Fund)	20,400.00
That of the sum of \$20,400.00 to be raised and appropriated for expenses of the Thayer Public Library, \$2,254.12 be taken from dog license receipts and the balance of \$18,145.88 be raised in the tax levy.	
New Equipment:	
Furniture	165.00
Fire Extinguisher	30.00
Window Grates	140.00
Rubber Matting	48.00
Mirror	20.00

Electric Fans (2)	\$	57.00
Out of State Travel		75.00
Alterations-Main Library (New Bst. Entrance)		298.00
		<hr/> 90,116.84

ARTICLE 2.

MOVED the following Resolution by Mr. Bean:

Resolved, that it is the sense of this meeting that the State Grant for Free Public Libraries under Section 19A, Chapter 78, of the General Laws, which comes to Braintree each year, should be divided so that the portion thereof which would have come to Braintree under the equalization formula, formerly applicable, shall have unrestricted use as before, but that the portion of the Grant in excess of this amount, if any, should be appropriated to make possible special improvements of library service which would not be possible within the normal appropriation which would be made for library purposes in the absence of this Grant.

Discussion ensued involving Mr. Bean, Mr. McConnell and Fire Chief Sears.

Comes now the question on the Resolution by Mr. Bean.

Vote was taken and the Moderator being in doubt a Teller count was ordered. Vote and count were taken and the Tellers reported 97 votes in the affirmative and 67 votes in the negative. The Moderator then declared the Resolution by Mr. Bean

SO VOTED

Upon motion duly made by Mr. Delory, it was

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Annual Town Meeting be adjourned until 7:45 P.M., Tuesday, March 19, 1963.

TOWN OF BRAINTREE

ADJOURNED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

TUESDAY, MARCH 19, 1963

The Adjourned Annual Town Meeting was called to order at 7:50 o'clock in the evening of Tuesday, March 19, 1963, by the Moderator, Mr. John J. Canavan.

There were 179 Town Meeting Members present.

The Moderator declared a quorum present.

Prayer for Divine Guidance was offered by Rev. M. James Workman, Pastor of the First Congregational Church.

The following Tellers were appointed by the Moderator to serve during the course of the evening.

Herbert Hollis
Roger Champagne
Patricia Arnold
Ernest Frawley

Linda Burdett
George Allen
Jack Ainsleigh
Barbara Keefe

We now continue with consideration of the Articles in the Warrant.

MOVED by Mr. Paul Young in compliance with Article II, Section 7 of the By-Laws:

Reconsideration of action taken under Article 14, Item 17, Fire Department.

Discussion ensued involving Mr. Paul Young, Mr. McMaster, Mr. Laing and Mr. Withington.

Comes now the question on the motion by Mr. Paul Young.

Vote was taken and the Moderation declared that there being more than the required two-thirds vote in the affirmative the motion by Mr. Paul Young was

SO VOTED

ARTICLE 14, ITEM 17. Fire Department

MOVED by Mr. Paul Young:

That there be raised and appropriated the sum of
\$15,830.16 for four new men as follows: Salary, \$14,092.00; \$ 15,830.16
Vacations, \$420.00; Uniforms and incidentals, \$800.00;
Holidays, \$518.16.

Discussion ensued involving Mr. Paul Young, Mr. Foley, Fire Chief Sears, Mr. McMaster and Mr. Pinault.

Comes now the question on the motion by Mr. Paul Young.

SO VOTED

ARTICLE 14, ITEM 34. Thayer Public Library

That there be raised and appropriated the sum of \$90,116.84 as follows:

Salaries-Librarians	\$ 59,085.25
Salaries-Janitors	6,798.59
Binding	3,000.00
Expenses (Including Thayer Fund)	20,400.00

That of the sum of \$20,400.00 to be raised and appropriated for expenses of the Thayer Public Library, \$2,254.12 be taken from dog license receipts and the balance of \$18,145.88 be raised in the tax levy.

New Equipment:	
Furniture	165.00
Fire Extinguisher	30.00
Window Grates	140.00
Rubber Matting	48.00
Mirror	20.00

Electric Fans (2)	\$ 57.00
Out of State Travel	75.00
Alterations-Main Library (New Bst. Entrance)	298.00
	<hr/> 90,116.84

MOVED the following amendment by Mr. Bean:

That \$3430.00 be appropriated to install a fire detection system in the Thayer Public Library in accordance with advice and approval of the Fire Chief of Braintree and the Fire Underwriters Laboratories, and that to meet said appropriation \$2110.78 be transferred from available funds in the Treasury and the balance of \$1,319.22 raised in the tax levy.

Mr. Bean spoke on the amendment.

Comes now the question on the amendment by Mr. Bean.

SO VOTED

Comes now the question on the motion as thus amended.

SO VOTED \$ 93,546.84

ARTICLE 14, ITEM 35. Cemeteries

That there be raised and appropriated the sum of \$4,410.00 as follows:

Plain Street Cemetery	
Salary-Superintendent	\$ 700.00
Grave Openings	500.00
Labor	550.00
Materials and Supplies	300.00
Expenses	200.00
Pond Street Cemetery	
Salary-Superintendent	600.00
Grave Openings	150.00
Expenses and Labor	750.00
First Parish Cemetery	460.00
Office Expenses	200.00
	<hr/> 4,410.00

MOVED the following amendment by Mr. Paul Young:

That under Office Expenses the sum of \$200.00 be increased to \$300.00 and that the total sum raised and appropriated be increased to \$4,510.00 \$ 4,510.00

Comes now the question on the amendment by Mr. Paul Young.

SO VOTED

Comes now the question on the motion as thus amended.

SO VOTED

ARTICLE 14, ITEM 46. Water Department, Maintenance and Operation

That there be appropriated for the maintenance, operation and development of the Water Supply System, including the purchase of new equipment, laying and relaying of Water Mains and necessary land takings, the sum of \$413,622.55 to be expended as follows:

Salary-Superintendent	\$ 8,400.00
Salary-Executive Secretary	4,968.75
Salary-Clerks	16,350.50
Salary-Adjustments	368.80
Debt and Interest	43,334.50
Out-of-State Travel	200.00
Other expenses including new equipment and wages	340,000.00
	<u>\$413,622.55</u>

And to meet said appropriation, the sum of \$58,425.30 shall be transferred from the Water Department Reserve at the end of 1962 and the balance of \$355,197.25 shall be taken from the Revenue of the Water Department for the year 1963.

MOVED the following amendment by Mr. Matthews:

That there be appropriated for the maintenance, operation and development of the Water Supply System, including the purchase of New Equipment, Laying and Relaying of Water Mains and Necessary Land Takings, the sum of \$437,368.22 to be expended as follows:

Salary, Superintendent	\$ 8,400.00
Salary Clerks	21,319.25
Salary Adjustment (Men)	368.80
Debt & Interest	43,334.50
Out of State Travel	200.00
Other Expenses, including new equipment and wages	363,745.67
	<u>\$437,368.22</u>

And to meet said appropriation the sum of \$58,425.30 shall be transferred from the Water Department Reserve at the end of 1962 and the balance of \$378,942.92 shall be taken from the Revenue of the Water Department for the year 1963.

Discussion ensued involving Mr. Matthews and Mr. McConnell.

Comes now the question on the amendment by Mr. Matthews.

Vote was taken and the Moderator declared the amendment by Mr. Matthews LOST.

MOVED by Mr. Matthews:

That the motion by Mr. McConnell be tabled until after consideration of Article 37.

Discussion ensued involving Mr. Matthews, Mr. McConnell and Mr. Hunt.

Comes now the question on the motion by Mr. Matthews.

Vote was taken and the Moderator declared that the motion by Mr. Matthews LOST.

Comes now the question on the motion.

SO VOTED

ARTICLE 14, ITEM 48. Personnel Board

That there be raised and appropriated the sum of \$1,300.00 as follows:

Clerical	\$	50.00	
Expenses		<u>1,250.00</u>	\$ 1,300.00

MOVED the following amendment by Mr. Laing:

That for Expenses the sum of \$1,250.00 be increased to \$5,250.00 and that the sum of \$1,300.00 to be raised and appropriated be increased to \$5,300.00.

Discussion ensued involving Mr. Laing and Mr. McConnell.

Comes now the question on the amendment by Mr. Laing.

Vote was taken and the Moderator declared the amendment by Mr. Laing LOST.

Comes now the question on the motion.

SO VOTED

ARTICLE 14, ITEM 49. Civil Defense

MOVED by Mr. McConnell:

Administrative Expenses	\$	100.00	
Auxiliary Fire Dept. (Equipment)		200.00	
Auxiliary Police Dept. (Equipment)		563.00	
Communications		318.00	
Radiological Service		325.00	
New Equipment:			
All Band Transmitter Receiver		450.00	
Warning System Line Rental		<u>714.00</u>	\$ 2,670.00

MOVED the following amendment by Mr. Reynolds:

That there be raised and appropriated the sum of \$2,407.20 as follows:

6 fixed/mobile transmitter receivers on the 2 meter frequency, approved FCDA models, @ \$439.95 each, less trade-in of 2 Gonset II transmitter/receivers, 2 meter frequencies @ \$300.00	\$	2,339.70	
18 transmitting crystals, 2 meter and 6 meter, @ \$3.75 each, for new CD frequencies, .005 tolerance		<u>67.50</u>	
	\$	<u>2,407.20</u>	

Discussion ensued involving Mr. Reynolds and Mr. McConnell.

Comes now the question on the amendment by Mr. Reynolds.

Vote was taken and the Moderator declared the amendment by Mr. Reynolds LOST.

Comes now the question on the motion.

SO VOTED

ARTICLE 14, ITEM 56. Chlorination of Sunset Lake

That there be raised and appropriated the sum of \$2,200.00.

Discussion ensued involving Mr. Richardi and Mr. McConnell.

MOVED the following amendment by Mr. Hollis:

That the sum of \$2,200.00 be increased to \$2,500.00 \$ 2,500.00

Mr. Richardi spoke on the amendment.

Comes now the question on the amendment by Mr. Hollis.

SO VOTED

Comes now the question on the motion as thus amended.

SO VOTED

SO VOTED: That Article 14, Item 19, Police Department, be taken from the table.

ARTICLE 14, ITEM 19. Police Department

SO VOTED: That there be raised and appropriated the sum of \$2,039.56 for new men to be allocated as follows:

Salary Adjustments	\$	260.00
Salary-Vacations		494.20
Salary-Sickness		534.00
Holiday Pay		751.36
	\$	<u>2,039.56</u>

MOVED the following amendment by Mr. McConnell:

That Uniforms-New Men be amended to read \$375.00.

MOVED the following amendment by Police Chief Polio to the amendment by Mr. McConnell:

That Uniforms-New Men be amended to read \$1,750.00.

Discussion ensued involving Police Chief Polio and Mr. McConnell.

Comes now the question on the amendment by Police Chief Polio to the amendment by Mr. McConnell.

Vote was taken and the Moderator declared the amendment by Police Chief Polio to the amendment by Mr. McConnell LOST.

Comes now the question on the amendment.

SO VOTED

MOVED the following amendment by Police Chief Polio:

That Salary-Sickness and Injury be increased from \$6,000.00 to \$9,851.76.

Discussion ensued involving Police Chief Polio and Mr. McConnell.

Comes now the question on the amendment by Police Chief Polio.

Vote was taken and the Moderator declared the amendment by Police Chief Polio LOST.

MOVED the following amendment by Police Chief Polio:

That Salary-Court Time and Overtime be increased from \$2,000.00 to \$2,500.00.

Comes now the question on the amendment by Police Chief Polio.

Vote was taken and the Moderator declared the amendment by Police Chief Polio LOST.

MOVED the following amendment by Police Chief Polio:

That Uniforms for Men be increased from \$3,525.00 to \$3,675.00.

Discussion ensued involving Police Chief Polio and Mr. McConnell.

Comes now the question on the amendment by Police Chief Polio.

SO VOTED

MOVED the following amendment by Police Chief Polio:

That Expenses-General be increased from \$14,225.00 to \$19,675.71.

Discussion ensued involving Police Chief Polio and Mr. McConnell.

Comes now the question on the amendment by Police Chief Polio.

Vote was taken and the Moderator declared the amendment by Police Chief Polio LOST.

Discussion ensued involving Mr. Littlejohn, Mr. McConnell and Mr. Laing.

MOVED the following amendment by Mr. McConnell:

That Salary-Deputy be increased from \$6,462.50 to \$6,480.33.

Mr. McConnell spoke on the amendment.

Comes now the question on the amendment by Mr. McConnell.

SO VOTED

Comes now the question on the main motion by Mr. McConnell on Article 14, Item 19, Police Department, as amended through-
out the Town Meeting.

\$396,004.19

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED

The Moderator recognized the presence of the Honorable James S. McCormack, Senator 1st Norfolk District, who was greeted with applause by the assembly.

The Moderator announced the appointment of Ruth Shuster as a Teller to replace Patricia Arnold.

ARTICLE 15. Municipal Light Plant

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the sum of \$51,000.00 appropriated under Article 15 of this Warrant, for Electricity used for street lighting together with the income from the sales of electricity to private consumers and for current supplied to Municipal Buildings and for Municipal Power and from the sales of appliances and jobbing during the current fiscal year be expended under the direction and control of the Municipal Light Board for repairs, renewals, new construction and operating expenses of the plant, including a sum not to exceed \$51,000.00 be turned over to the Town Treasury in lieu of taxes, and including \$1,000.00 for out-of-state travel, for the fiscal year as defined in Section 57, Chapter 164 of the General Laws and that if said income shall exceed the expenses for the fiscal year such amount of excess as is deemed necessary by the Municipal Light Board shall be transferred to the Construction Fund of said plant and appropriated and shall be used for such additions to the plant as may thereafter be authorized by the Municipal Light Board and any remaining amount paid into the surplus of the Town Treasury.

ARTICLE 16. Salaries Electric Light Commissioners

(No action necessary. Refer to Article 14, Item 44.)

ARTICLE 17. To authorize housing for the elderly.

MOVED by Mr. Withington:

That the Town vote to accept Housing for the Elderly under General Laws, Chapter 121, Section 26 SS to 26 VV.

Discussion ensued involving Mr. Beaver, Mr. Connolly, Miss Bates, Mr. Gustafson, Mr. Morton and Mr. Ainsleigh.

Upon motion duly made by Mr. Ainsleigh, it was

SO VOTED: Indefinite postponement.

ARTICLE 18. Appropriation for Committee for the Aging.

That the sum of \$500.00 be raised and appropriated to be expended by the Committee for the Aging for the distribution of information to the people 65 years old and older giving data on services available to people of these ages.

MOVED the following amendment by Mr. Connolly:

That the amount be increased from \$500.00 to \$800.00 \$ 800.00

Under ARTICLE 2 Mr. Beaver submitted the following report for the Committee for the Aging:

The Committee of the Aging was formed at the request of the moderator with town meeting approval at last years annual Town Meeting after a progress report was submitted by the Study Committee.

After several committee meetings, it was decided to hold an open meeting to discuss with town-s older citizens what problems there were in this area.

On November 10, at the Town Hall, a meeting was held. In spite of its being a rainy day, 250 senior citizens attended. The following conclusions were drawin, that there was a definite need in the following categories:

Education, Recreation, Medical or Dental, Housing and Financial Assistance.

It was brought out that housing was the most pressing need. To further determine that this was a truly representative group, it was the committee's opinion that a questionnaire should be mailed to everyone in town over the age of 64. Toward the end of the year, with the cooperation of the school department, a mailing list was compiled and two forms were mailed. One form required information on housing only, the other, general information. The results of the answers to these forms are as follows:

167 - people are interested in housing for the elderly

109 - interested in medical or dental assistance

64 - recreation

59 - educational opportunities

39 - in some form of financial assistance

Based on these facts it is the thinking of the committee that there is a definite need for housing for the elderly in Braintree.

Under Article 18, the committee is asking, with Finance Committee approval, for \$1,000.00 to continue the work of the committee in areas other than housing. This year a booklet will be printed listing all the available services with names and telephone numbers of persons to call in the areas of Recreation, Medical & Dental, Legal, Church groups, and many others.

Respectfully submitted,

James Buckley,
Rodney Powers,
Joseph Connolly,
Ovidio Chiesa,
William Gustofson,
Whitney Withington,
Paul Foley,
Charles Kelley - Secretary
Howard Beaver - Chairman

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the report of the Committee for the Aging be accepted as a report of progress.

Discussion ensued involving Mr. McConnell and Miss Bates.

Comes now the question on the amendment by Mr. Connolly.

SO VOTED

Comes now the question on the motion as thus amended.

SO VOTED

ARTICLE 19. Memorial Day

(No action necessary. Refer to Article 14, Item 51.)

ARTICLE 20. Rent of Hall for VFW

(No action necessary. Refer to Article 14, Item 54.)

ARTICLE 21. Rent of Hall for DAV

(No action necessary. Refer to Article 14, Item 59.)

ARTICLE 22. Hydrant Maintenance

(No action necessary. Refer to Article 14, Item 55.)

ARTICLE 23. Chlorination of Sunset Lake

(No action necessary. Refer to Article 14, Item 56.)

ARTICLE 24. South Shore Mosquito Control Project

(No action necessary. Refer to Article 14, Item 58.)

ARTICLE 25. Insect Pest Control

(No action necessary. Refer to Article 14, Item 27.)

ARTICLE 26. Dutch Elm Disease

(No action necessary. Refer to Article 14, Item 27.)

ARTICLE 27. Indemnity Agreement, Waterways or Highways projects

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town will assume liability in the manner provided by Section 29 of Chapter 91 of the General Laws, as most recently amended by Chapter 5, Acts of 1955, for all damages that may be incurred by work to be performed by the Department of Public Works of Massachusetts for the improvement, development, maintenance and protection of tidal and non-tidal rivers and streams, harbors, tide-waters, fore-shores and shores along a public beach, including the Merrimack and Connecticut Rivers, in accordance with Section 11 of Chapter 91 of the General Laws, and authorize the Selectmen to execute and deliver a bond of indemnity therefor to the Commonwealth.

ARTICLE 2. Mr. Johnson, Town Clerk, submitted the report of the Committee to Study the Use of Automatic Voting Machines as follows:

1. Purpose. To analyze the use of voting machines as a possible substitute for the present method of manually computing the results of electron ballots for the Town of Braintree.

2. Background:

- a. The population growth of most of the cities and towns throughout the Commonwealth of Massachusetts during recent years, has resulted in a comparable increase in the numbers of eligible voters in all communities.
- b. At present, the method of computing election results throughout the Commonwealth is accomplished by the process of manual count, in the majority of cities and towns and by automatic voting machines in the minority of cities and towns.
- c. It is a proven fact that the tally sheets of votes by automatic voting machines can show election results much faster than those completed by the manual process.
- d. The Town of Braintree utilizes the manual method of computing voting results.

3. Action.

- a. A review of public information pertaining to the use of automatic voting machines has been made by members of the committee. This review has included a study of proposed legislative action concerning the subject matter, discussions with public representatives, and an evaluation of newspaper accounts regarding the pros and cons of the question of voting machines.
- b. Evaluation of the composition of voters within established precincts is considered necessary to determine distribution and effectiveness of population dispersal throughout the town. The effects of population increases of voters within the town during the past few years must be related to any planned change to the use of automatic voting machines.
- c. Consideration of economic factors is of prime importance to the Town prior to the acceptance or rejection of the use of automatic voting machines.
- d. As an outgrowth of this study, the committee, has introduced an Article requesting Selectmen to conduct a comprehensive review of the composition and effectiveness of the present structure of existing precincts. It is expected that adoption of this proposal will provide sufficient factual information to enable town meeting members to better evaluate existing or improved methods of voting procedures for the town.
- e. In the event that objective planning should consider it feasible to warrant the ultimate purchase of automatic voting machines, there are two reasons why precincts should be consolidated when such machines are installed - to effect a saving and to keep the number of machines required to a minimum.
- f. The approximate cost of each voting machine is \$1800. It has been estimated that three to four machines would be required in each precinct. This would require an expenditure by the town of more than \$70,000 under existing arrangements. In addition to this cost, the town would have to add the expense of transportation, storage and the proper care of the machines.
- g. At this time, it is considered that it would be unrealistic to pre-determine the amortization rate for each machine. Development of additional pertinent information will be needed prior to finalization of specific recommendations concerning this matter.

Since the machines are used for state and federal governments during the course of elections, it should be expected that they would share the cost or subsidize them. In this regard, the State Election Division is making an effort to find possible ways to help come up with methods to defray the costs of purchasing machines.

Recommendation:

a. Selectmen approve and conduct a study to determine whether the need exists to maintain, increase or consolidate existing precincts in the town.

b. Continue the existing committee on "Voting Machines" to further study the advantages or disadvantages in the use of automatic voting machines by the Town of Braintree.

Submitted:

Mr. Carl Johnson, Member
Mr. Henry Mallowey, Member
Mr. Louis V. Cassidy, Member

SO VOTED: That the report of the Committee be accepted as a report of progress.

ARTICLE 28. Revise voting precincts and boundaries.

SO VOTED: That the Selectmen be requested and directed to review, and if need be, to revise the voting precincts and boundaries thereof in December 1963.

ARTICLE 29. Chapter 646, Acts of 1962, increasing pensions and retirement allowances.

SO VOTED: Indefinite postponement.

ARTICLE 30. Chapter 409, Acts of 1962, Pedestrian Control.

To accept the provisions of Chapter 409 of the Acts of 1962 providing for pedestrian control.

Discussion ensued involving Mr. Morton, Mr. McConnell and Mr. Littlejohn.

Comes now the question on the motion.

SO VOTED

ARTICLE 2. Mr. Cusack submitted the majority report of the Braintree Conservation Committee as follows:

After careful study, it is the recommendation of the Braintree Conservation Committee, appointed by the Moderator after the 1962 Annual Town Meeting, that the Town of Braintree create a Conservation Commission, under the provisions of Chapter 223, Acts of 1957 (Chapter 40, Section 80 General Laws as amended).

Mr. Charles E. Downe, the consultant who is preparing the Braintree Master Plan, also has recommended a Conservation Committee.

About fifty per cent of the Town is still undeveloped and the conservation of its natural resources is imperative. Braintree's population is increas-

ing; consequently the demand for recreational facilities, water, etc., will increase accordingly.

The Town has no single agency coordinating water supply, drainage areas wetlands, flood control, river pollution, fishing, boating, swimming, hunting, etc.

Properly organized, this Conservation Commission would complement, not overlap or conflict with, any existing private or public agency. As an example, it could assist the flood committee in supplying such information as drainage areas, and assist the planning board in flood plain zoning.

Recently, the Conservation Commissions of Hingham, Norwell, Cohasset and Scituate in cooperation with the Massachusetts Department of Natural Resources prepared plans for the development of the thirty-seven hundred (3700) acres of the old Hingham Naval Ammunition Depot annex--in the event that the land is declared surplus.

The Commission would be eligible to receive money from the State for recreational facilities and from the Federal Government for pollution control. Also, the Commission could purchase, or acquire by gift, land for a green belt area.

A Commission, rather than a Committee, should be established so that the Commission would have equal status with other Commissions from neighboring towns in discussing drainage areas, green belt areas and water supply areas which do not stop at town or city lines. Normally, a community cannot solve these problems by itself.

The Conservation Committee, having completed its assignment requests that it be discharged on acceptance of this Report.

Very truly yours,

John J. Cusack, Chairman
Harry C. Lake, Member

The minority report of the Braintree Conservation Committee was submitted as follows:

I submit my report as a member of the Conservation Committee, of which I have been a member for two years.

My conclusion, after study and investigation, is that the Town of Braintree should not accept the provisions of Chapter 223, Acts of 1957 (Chapter 40, Section 8c, General Laws) for Municipal Conservation Commission.

My reasons are as follows:

1. Braintree has enough boards and committees which are doing most of the jobs which a conservation commission could do.
2. This commission could ask for \$15,000 per year appropriation and the commission would have full control over how it would be spent. I feel the Town would not receive enough benefit to justify such appropriation.
3. The Selectmen, Park, Water, Electric Light, Sewer departments, Town Engineer and Town Meeting members could handle all functions of a commission.

4. This commission would be used by various departments as a means to try and get appropriations in the department budgets.
5. It would be hard to find seven capable persons who would be willing and have the time to make up such a commission.

Leslie R. Birnie

SO VOTED: That the report of the Committee be accepted and the Committee discharged.

ARTICLE 31. Chapter 223, Acts of 1957, Conservation Commission.

MOVED by Mr. Lake:

That the Town of Braintree accept General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 8c, as most recently amended, establishing a Conservation Commission. Said Commission to consist of five (5) members.

Discussion ensued involving several Town Meeting Members and Citizens of the Town.

Comes now the question on the motion by Mr. Lake.

SO VOTED

ARTICLE 32. General Laws, Chapter 145, Tenement House Act.

Upon motion duly made by Mr. Brooks, it was

SO VOTED: That Article 32 be laid on the table.

ARTICLE 2. Mr. Frazier submitted the report of the Regional Incinerator Planning Committee as follows:

The Committee has had several meetings with members of various incineration committees, mayors, selectmen, etc., throughout the South Shore. We visited incinerators in other towns and cities and the following is the result of our study:

A) The feasibility of a Municipal Regional Incinerator for this area is doubtful. We have been unable to find interest in this type of incineration.

B) Our preliminary investigation of private capital building and operating an incinerator, for regional use, has many economical benefits for our town. We met with officials of the Sandra Construction Company of Braintree, and if we have to go to incineration, their plan looks interesting.

C) The need for incineration in our town, grows more each day; and it is the wish of our committee that you accept this as a report of progress, continue the committee so that we may investigate this subject further and report at the next Special or Annual Town Meeting or insert an article in same, if necessary.

Respectfully submitted,
THE REGIONAL INCINERATOR
PLANNING COMMITTEE
Lawrence T. Gingrow
Ramon A. Nagle
Robert E. Frazier, Chairman

SO VOTED: That the report of the Committee be accepted as a report of progress.

ARTICLE 33. Reimbursement to Harld F. and Robert R. Tassinary for canceled building permits.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: Indefinite postponement.

ARTICLE 34. New Animal Crematory.

SO VOTED: That there be raised and appropriated the sum of \$2300. to be expended under the direction of the Board of Health for the replacement of the present animal crematory and repairs to the existing building in which it is housed. \$ 2,300.00

ARTICLE 35. Sale of real estate to Vincent J. Foley.

To authorize the Selectmen to sell to Vincent J. Foley for the sum of \$8000. the following described parcel of land and buildings thereon, which was acquired through tax title foreclosure:

A certain parcel of land containing 18,310 square feet, more or less, with the buildings thereon as described in Docket No. 32704, Norfolk Probate records. Being Plts 82, 84 and 85 on Braintree Assessors' Plan No. 3009.

Discussion ensued involving Mr. Withington and Mr. McConnell.

Comes now the question on the motion by Mr. McConnell.

Vote was taken and the Moderator declared that there being more than the required two-thirds vote in the affirmative the motion by Mr. McConnell was

SO VOTED

Upon motion duly made by Mr. Delory, it was

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Annual Town Meeting be adjourned until 7:45 P.M., Wednesday, March 20, 1963.

TOWN OF BRAINTREE

ADJOURNED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 20, 1963

The Adjourned Annual Town Meeting was called to order at 7:55 o'clock in the evening of Wednesday, March 20, 1963, by the Moderator, Mr. John J. Canavan.

There were 1963 Town Meeting Members present.

The Moderator declared a quorum present.

Prayer for Divine Guidance was offered by Rev. Fr. Arthur F. McQuaid, Pastor of St. Francis Assisi R. C. Church.

The following Tellers were appointed by the Moderator to serve during the course of the evening.

Linda W. Burdett
Virginia M. Davis
Patricia J. Arnold
Marjorie Bates

Ruth W. Shuster
Marjorie L. Crispin
Janice C. Bloomingdale
Barbara M. Keefe

We now continue with consideration of the Articles in the Warrant.

Upon motion duly made by Mr. Brooks, it was

SO VOTED: That Article 32 be taken from the table.

ARTICLE 32. General Laws, Chapter 145, Tenement House Act.

MOVED by Mr. Brooks:

That the Braintree Representatives in the General Count are hereby instructed and requested to file a bill with the Legislature the approval of which would permit the Town to vote on the revocation of its acceptance of Chapter 145 Mass. Gen. Laws known as the Tenement House Act of 1912.

Discussion ensued involving Mr. Brooks, Mr. Magaldi, Mr. Strathdee, Mrs. Davis, Mr. Paul Young, Miss Bates and Mr. Klay.

Comes now the question on the motion by Mr. Brooks.

Vote was taken and the Moderator being in doubt a Teller count was ordered. Vote and count were taken and the Tellers reported 83 votes in the affirmative and 67 votes in the negative. The Moderator then declared the motion by Mr. Brooks was

SO VOTED

ARTICLE 36. Sale of land to Temple B'Nai Shalom.

To authorize the Selectmen to sell to Temple B'Nai Shalom at a price of \$4,750.00 the land on Liberty Street, described as follows:

A triangular-shaped parcel of land containing approximately two acres of land, being a portion of Plot No. 2 shown on Assessors' Plan No. 1124, bounded and described as follows:

Starting at a point on Liberty Street eighty (80) feet north of the northerly side of Plot No. 2A as shown on said Assessors' Plan No. 1124, thence running in a straight line northeasterly and parallel to the northerly side of said Plot No. 2A for a distance of approximately three hundred seventy-five (375) feet to a point on the southerly boundary line of Plot No. 1 on said Assessors' Plan No. 1124, thence turning and running northwesterly to Liberty Street along the southerly boundary line of said Plot No. 1 for a distance of approximately five hundred and forty (540) feet, thence turning and running southeasterly along Liberty Street to the point of beginning for a distance of approximately three hundred and eighty (380) feet, or take any other action relative thereto,

such sale, however, to be made upon the condition that, if said land shall not be used for religious purposes within a period of 5 years from date of purchase, and such fact shall be certified in writing by the Finance Committee

to the Selectmen, the Town shall have the option to repurchase at the original sale price at any time within one (1) year after such certification.

MOVED the following amendment by Dr. Frogel:

That the selling price of \$4,750.00 be decreased to \$1,000.00.

Discussion ensued involving Mr. McConnell, Mr. Strathdee, Mr. Magaldi, Dr. Frogel and Mr. Hunt.

Comes now the question on the amendment by Dr. Frogel.

SO VOTED

Comes now the question on the motion as thus amended.

Vote was taken and the Moderator declared that there being more than the required two-thirds vote in the affirmative, with only three votes in the negative, the motion by Mr. McConnell as thus amended was

SO VOTED

ARTICLE 37. Installation of water main on Granite Street.

SO VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of \$25,500.00 \$ 25,500.00 to be expended under the direction of the Water Commissioners for the installation of a water main on Granite Street from King Hill Road northerly about 2000 feet to a point opposite the property of F. X. Messina.

ARTICLE 38. Transfer of land to Water Department.

MOVED by Mr. Matthews:

To transfer to the control of the Water Board Plots numbered 3, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9 on Assessors' Plan 1034, and to remove the same from the list of lands available for sale under the provisions of Article 4, Sec. 4 of the By-laws.

Discussion ensued involving Mr. Matthews, Mr. Morton and Mr. Hunt.

Comes now the question on the motion by Mr. Matthews.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED

MOVED by Mr. Matthews in compliance with Article II, Section 7 of the By-laws:

Reconsideration of the action taken under Article 14, Item 46.

Discussion ensued involving Mr. Matthews, Mr. Stewart and Mr. McConnell.

Comes now the question on the motion by Mr. Matthews.

Vote was taken and the Moderator being in doubt a Teller count was ordered. Vote and count were taken and the Tellers reported 105 votes in the affirmative and 49 votes in the negative. The Moderator then declared that there being more than the required two-thirds vote in the affirmative the motion by Mr. Matthews was

SO VOTED

ARTICLE 14, ITEM 46. Water Department, Maintenance and Operation.

Upon motion duly made by Mr. Matthews, it was

SO VOTED: That there be appropriated for the maintenance, operation and development of the Water Supply System, including the purchase of New Equipment, Laying and Relaying of Water Mains and Necessary Land Takings, the sum of \$437,368.22 to be expended as follows:

Salary, Superintendent	\$ 8,400.00	
Salary, Clerks	21,319.25	
Salary Adjustment (Men)	368.80	
Debt & Interest	43,334.50	
Out of State Travel	200.00	
Other Expenses, including new Equipment and Wages	<u>363,745.67</u>	\$437,368.22

And to meet said appropriation the sum of \$58,425.30 shall be transferred from the Water Department Reserve at the end of 1962 and the balance of \$378,942.92 shall be taken from the Revenue of the Water Department for the year 1963.

ARTICLE 39. Construction of lateral sewers.

That there be raised and appropriated the sum of \$350,000.00 for the construction of additional sewers for sanitary purposes under the direction of the Sewer Commissioners and that to meet said appropriation the sum of \$78,767.18 be taken from Sewer Receipts reserved for appropriation and \$21,232.82 be raised in the tax levy and that the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen be and hereby is authorized to borrow the sum of \$250,000.00 and to issue bonds or notes of the Town therefor payable in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws so that the whole loan shall be paid in not more than 20 years from the date of issue of first bond or note or at such earlier time as the Treasurer and Selectmen may determine.

Discussion ensued involving Mr. Dyer and Mr. Bernard.

Comes now the question on the motion by Mr. McConnell.

Vote was taken and there being votes in the negative the Moderator ordered a Teller count. Vote and count were taken and the Tellers reported 158 votes in the affirmative and 2 votes in the negative. The Moderator then declared that there being more than the required two-thirds vote in the affirmative the motion by Mr. McConnell was

SO VOTED

Upon motion duly made by Mr. Frazier, it was

SO VOTED: That Article 66 be considered at this time.

ARTICLE 66. Construction of sewers on certain streets.

MOVED by Mr. Warren Boynton:

That there be raised and appropriated the sum of \$152,800.00 for the construction of additional sewers for sanitary purposes, under the direction

of the Sewer Commissioners, in the following area:

Completion of Pearl Street for existing homes from Fountain Street east to Liberty Street; and that part of Plain Street from Kendall Avenue that would be serviced by the same drainage areas that would service Kendall Avenue; and the following streets in their entirety:

Kendall Avenue
Stevens Avenue
Webb Street
E. Boscobel Street

Boscobel Street
Spring Street
Congress Street
Crawford Street
Crawford Road

and that to meet said appropriation, the sum of \$2,800.00 be raised in the tax levy, and that the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow the sum of \$150,000.00 and to issue bonds or notes of the Town therefor payable in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, and that the whole loan shall be paid in not more than twenty years from the date of issue of the first bond or note or at such earlier time as the Treasurer or Selectmen may determine.

Discussion ensued involving Mr. Crimmins and Mr. McConnell.

MOVED the following amendment by Mr. McConnell:

That the sum of \$2,800.00 to be raised in the tax levy be increased to the sum of \$52,800.00, that the sum of \$150,000.00 to be borrowed be reduced to \$100,000.00, and the term of borrowing be reduced from twenty years to five years.

Further discussion ensued involving Mr. Strathee, Mr. Ainsleigh, Mr. Tinson and Mr. Arnold.

Comes now the question on the amendment by Mr. McConnell.

SO VOTED

Comes now the question on the motion by Mr. Boynton as thus amended.

The Moderator ordered a Teller count. Vote and count were taken and the Tellers reported 155 votes in the affirmative and 4 votes in the negative. The Moderator then declared that there being more than the required two-thirds vote in the affirmative the motion by Mr. Boynton as thus amended was

SO VOTED

ARTICLE 2. Mr. John Libertine submitted the report of the Legal Advertising Study Committee as follows:

At the direction of a motion passed by the 1962 Annual Town Meeting, the moderator appointed a committee of five to investigate the methods employed by the various town boards in the planning and placing of so-called legal advertising.

Since that time, the committee has held several meetings and assigned specific projects to individual members.

Historically, so-called legal advertising resulted from the need to inform the citizenry of proposed legislation and other actions which may have an

effect upon a person or his property. This committee believes the emphasis should be placed upon the word "inform". Too often, we believe, the legal advertisement is looked upon as a formal gesture which must be made to satisfy a statute. If this committee serves no other purpose than to point out the fallacy of such reasoning, our work will not have been in vain.

Our primary effort was directed toward the investigation of newspaper advertising since this comprises a majority of all legal advertising done (the balance being postings in public places and personal notification of abutters in zoning variances and similar cases). Newspaper advertising is based upon a number of state and town ordinances which are all governed by a phrase similar to the following "a notice of such hearing shall be published in one or more newspapers published in the town at least blank days before the date of said hearing." Strict interpretation of this statute eliminates the possible use of the largest daily newspaper serving this town. It leaves weekly papers to be considered.

At the time this committee was formed, there were two weekly newspapers being published. Last summer a new weekly made its appearance in the town. Although the publication of this paper has complicated our work somewhat, the committee feels it is a welcome addition since it seems to offer a new means of reaching a greater number of people.

In the past, legal advertising has been placed virtually on an exclusive basis in one paper. The reasons for this are two. 1. Usually there has been only one weekly paper available. 2. Habit has made it easier to do what has been done in the past. This committee suggests that at the moment it would appear the best way to reach the greatest number at the least cost, is to cut down the size of legal advertising in one paper and run it in the two weeklies which have the greatest circulation. At the same time, the situation should be carefully watched since it appears that the relative circulation of the papers involved are in a dynamic state of change. It is the opinion of this committee that if the present trend continues, it would not be many months before the new paper has achieved a dominance of circulation which might make it the logical choice for placement of all legal advertising.

All this is based on the present situation. Six months or six years from now, an entirely new set of factors might enter the picture. We believe that there should be some means of keeping abreast of the current situation at all times. For this reason, it is possible that at a future time, this committee might recommend it be made a permanent part of the structure of our town government and be requested to report at every Annual Town Meeting. For the present time, we are not asking for permanent status, but rather that the committee be continued for one year.

The proper conduct of legal advertising depends on three factors. 1. The existence of a proven medium of communication. In this case, a newspaper of proven significant circulation. 2. Upon the exercise of good judgment by those who must place the advertising. By this we mean reliance upon current facts and figures, rather than old traditions and habits. 3. Last but not least, the citizens of the town must take it upon themselves to keep informed of actions, hearings, etc. which might affect them.

This committee cannot and should not have any influence on any of the three parties. It can only keep a watchful eye and report any developments which should be of interest to this town meeting.

We close this report then, not as a final statement, but rather as a report of progress and request continuation of this committee for another year.

Respectfully submitted:
William F. Baker
Robert V. McCormack
Theron M. Roberts
William D. Stockbridge
John A. Libertine, Chairman

SO VOTED: That the report of the Committee be accepted as a report of progress.

Upon motion duly made by Mr. William Baker, it was

SO VOTED: Resolved that it is the sense and feeling of this Town Meeting that all Town Boards and Officials, who have legal advertising to place, should give prime consideration to that publication which has the greatest effective circulation within the Town.

Mr. Robert White submitted the report of the Committee to Oversee and Direct the Scholarship Fund to be derived from Commissions paid to the Town's Insurance Committee, as follows:

The following resolution was moved and adopted at the Town Meeting of 1962: "ARTICLE 11, ITEM 41. Insurance Premiums

Be it resolved: That is the sense of this Town Meeting that the Insurance Committee be instructed to place the Town of Braintree's insurance wherever possible with a mutual company or companies, in particular with reference to Workmen's Compensation and Fire Coverage.

And may it be the pleasure and the sence of this Town Meeting that the insurance commissions paid to the Town's Insurance Committee that of this amount no less than eight thousand dollars be set aside annually and specifically for the purpose of establishing a scholarship fund for the worthy and well qualified students of any taxpayer of the Town of Braintree.

May it be further resolved: That the Moderator appoint a committee of individuals, other than insurance agents, to oversee and direct the scholarship fund."

Pursuant to the adoption of this resolution, the moderator appointed the undersigned committee of three to oversee and direct the scholarship fund.

The committee first met with the Selectmen and the Town Counsel to seek their advice as to what funds might be available for scholarships in the coming year.

We were advised by the Selectmen that such information could only be furnished by the Town Insurance Committee.

After contact with the Town Insurance Committee, we were given a copy of a letter of opinion from the Deputy Commissioner of the Division of Insurance of the State Department of Banking and Insurance, dated May 14, 1962, indicating that any such contributions would be illegal. That letter reads as follows:

Mr. William C. Field
Town Insurance Committee
Town Hall
Braintree, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Field:

We have your letter of May 11.

The resolution which you state was introduced to your March Town Meeting calling for your Committee to allocate \$8000. of its commissions to a scholarship fund, this fund to be available to any child of your Town, would be in direct violation of the rebating law contained in Chapter 175, Section 182, and as such cannot be enforced.

Very truly yours,

JSOL:S

Deputy Commissioner

The exact wording of Chapter 175, Section 182, is (in part) as follows:

"Rebates, etc. prohibited.

No company, no officer or agent thereof and no insurance broker shall pay or allow, or offer to pay or allow, in connection with the placing or negotiating of any policy of insurance, any valuable consideration or inducement not specified in the policy or contract or any special favor or advantage in the dividends or other benefits to accrue thereon."

This information leaves us with no other recourse but to request that this be accepted as a final report and that the committee be discharged.

Respectfully submitted,
Robert White, Chairman,
Lewis Bradford Morton, Jr.,
Secretary
Robert K. Stanley

SO VOTED: That the report of the Committee be accepted as a final report and the Committee be discharged.

Upon request by the Moderator unanimous consent was granted to reconsider Article 66 at this time.

ARTICLE 66. Construction of sewers on certain streets.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That there be raised and appropriated the sum of \$152,800.00 for the construction of additional sewers for sanitary purposes, under the direction of the Sewer Commissioners, in the following area: \$152,800.00

Completion of Pearl Street for existing homes from Fountain Street east to Liberty Street; and that part of Plain Street from Kendall Avenue that would be serviced by the same drainage areas that would service Kendall Avenue; and the following streets in their entirety including such connecting mains and pumping station necessary to complete the installations:

Kendall Avenue
Stevens Avenue

Boscobel Street
Spring Street

Webb Street
E. Boscobel Street

Congress Street
Crawford Road

and that to meet said appropriation, the sum of \$52,800.00 be raised in the tax levy, and that the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow the sum of \$100,000.00 and to issue bonds or notes of the Town therefor payable in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, and that the whole loan shall be paid in not more than five years from the date of issue of the first bond or note or at such earlier time as the Treasurer or Selectmen may determine.

SO VOTED: That Article 46 be considered at this time.

ARTICLE 46. Addition to Noah Torrey Primary School.

Upon motion duly made by Mr. Barrett, it was

SO VOTED: To raise and appropriate the sum of \$2500 \$ 2,500.00
to be expended under the direction of a committee of five,
to be appointed by the Moderator, of which one member
shall be a member of the School Committee, to be known
as the Torrey School Building Committee, for the purpose
of preparing working plans, employing architects and
securing bids for the construction of a kitchen and storage
area and equipment for the Noah Torrey Primary School.

ARTICLE 40. Relocation of Pearl Street sewer.

That there be raised and appropriated the sum of
\$15,000.00 to be expended under the direction of the 15,000.00
Sewer Commissioners for the relocation of the existing
sewer on Pearl Street at the bridge over the Monatiquot
River.

Mr. Dyer spoke on the motion.

Comes now the question on the motion.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED

ARTICLE 41. Sewer in Farm and Monatiquot River valleys.

MOVED by Mr. Magaldi:

That there be raised and appropriated the sum of
\$400,000.00 to be expended for the construction of a main 400,000.00
trunk sewer for sanitary purposes in the Farm and
Monatiquot River Valleys under the direction of the Board
of Sewer Commissioners; and that to meet said appropria-
tion the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be,
and hereby is, authorized to borrow the sum of \$400,000.00
and to issue bonds or notes of the Town therefor, payable
in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44 of the
General Laws, so that the whole loan shall be repaid in not
more than 20 years from the date of issue of the first bond
or note, or at such earlier time as the Treasurer and
Selectmen may determine; and that the Board of Sewer
Commissioners is hereby authorized to apply for, accept
and use any Federal aid which may be available for the
purpose of this vote.

Discussion ensued involving Mr. Dyer, Mr. Brooks, Mr. Lundquist, Mr. McConnell and Miss Bates.

Comes now the question on the motion.

The Moderator ordered a Teller count. Vote and count was taken and the Tellers reported 107 votes in the affirmative and 28 votes in the negative. The Moderator then declared that there being more than the required two-thirds vote in the affirmative the motion by Mr. Magaldi was

SO VOTED

ARTICLE 42. Sewer in Pond Meadow drainage valley.

SO VOTED: Indefinite postponement.

Upon motion duly made by Mr. Delory, it was

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Annual Town Meeting be adjourned until 7:45 P.M., Monday, March 25, 1963.

TOWN OF BRAINTREE

ADJOURNED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

MONDAY, MARCH 25, 1963

The Adjourned Annual Town Meeting was called to order at 7:55 o'clock in the evening of Monday, March 25, 1963, by the Moderator, Mr. John J. Canavan.

There were 190 Town Meeting Members present.

The Moderator declared a quorum present.

Prayer for Divine Guidance was offered by Rev. Fr. Bartholomew Cahill of St. Clare's R. C. Church.

The following Tellers were appointed by the Moderator to serve during the course of the evening.

Herbert B. Hollis
Rachel C. White
Patricia J. Arnold
Robert V. McCormack

Lillian E. Killam
Robert B. Carnes
Natalie H. Stovold
Silvio Ferrante

We now continue with consideration of the Articles in the Warrant.

ARTICLE 2.

MOVED the following resolution by Mr. Burdett:

Whereas, Mr. and Mrs. Chester W. Daily have offered to the Town a gift of one hundred shares of American Telephone and Telegraph stock to be held in trust for the purpose of providing a scholarship to a deserving Braintree High School male graduate who has (a) been awarded a varsity letter, (b) who has been a member of an athletic squad for two years, (c) who has been accepted to an institution of higher learning, (d) and who has definite

financial need; and whereas, no article appears in this Warrant for accepting this gift, now therefore, the selectmen are directed to insert an article in the next Town Meeting, either annual or special, to provide for the acceptance of the aforesaid gift, and the Treasurer to hold said fund pending such action; and further, that the Town Meeting, by the adoption of this resolution, record its sentiment of deep gratitude to Mr. and Mrs. Chester W. Daily for the offer of this gift.

Mr. Proctor spoke on the resolution.

Comes now the question on the motion.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED

MOVED by Mr. McConnell in compliance with Article II, Section 7:

Reconsideration of action taken under Article 41.

Discussion ensued involving Mr. McConnell, Mr. Brousseau and Mr. Brooks.

MOVED by Mr. Gray:

That the motion by Mr. McConnell for reconsideration of action taken under Article 41 be laid on the table.

Mr. Hunt spoke on the motion.

Comes now the question on the motion by Mr. Gray.

SO VOTED

At the suggestion of Mr. Hunt, the Moderator appointed a Committee consisting of Mr. Dyer, Mr. Brousseau, Mr. Gray, Mr. Hunt, Mr. Lemelman, Mr. Jones and Mr. Smith, to meet immediately in the Town Counsel's office for the purpose of considering means of accomplishing the action intended by the Town Meeting at its previous session in relation to sewers and report back later in this session.

ARTICLE 43. General Storage building for Park Department and Public Schools.

MOVED by Mr. Burdett:

To raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,000.00 to be expended under the direction of a Committee of five, to be appointed by the Moderator, of which two members shall be members of the School Committee, two members shall be members of the Park & Recreation Commission, to be known as the Utility Building Committee, for the purpose of preparing working plans, employing architects and securing bids for the construction of a general storage and service building for the joint use of the Park and School Departments. \$ 5,000.00

Discussion ensued involving Mr. Abell, Mr. Proctor and Mr. Ainsleigh.

MOVED the following amendment by Mr. Ainsleigh:

Committee of 5, appointed by the Moderator, to be known as The Utility Building Committee, and to be composed of 1 member of the School Board, 1 member of the Park Commission and 3 members of the Town, one of whom shall be actively engaged in the building construction business.

Comes now the question on the amendment by Mr. Ainsleigh to the motion by Mr. Burdett.

SO VOTED

Comes now the question on the motion as thus amended.

Vote was taken and the Moderator being in doubt a Teller count was ordered. Vote and count were taken and the Tellers reported 94 votes in the affirmative and 67 votes in the negative. The Moderator then declared that the motion by Mr. Burdett as thus amended was

SO VOTED

ARTICLE 44. Addition to the Liberty School.

SO VOTED: That the sum of \$15,000.00 be raised and \$ 15,000.00 appropriated for the purpose of preparing working plans, employing architects and securing bids for the construction of an addition to the Liberty School; said sum to be expended under the direction of a committee of five appointed by the Moderator, to be known as Liberty School Building Committee.

MOVED by Mr. McConnell in compliance with Article II, Section 7:

Reconsideration of action taken under Article 46.

Discussion ensued involving Mr. McConnell, Mrs. Nicosia, Mr. Arnold and Mr. Barrett.

Comes now the question on the motion by Mr. McConnell.

Vote was taken and the Moderator declared the motion by Mr. McConnell LOST.

ARTICLE 45. Construction of elementary school on Plain Street.

SO VOTED: Indefinite postponement.

ARTICLE 47. Acquisition of sites for future elementary schools.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That a Committee of five (5), to be known as The School Site and Survey Committee, be appointed by the Moderator to study and report to a later Town Meeting on available, necessary and desirable sites for future schools.

ARTICLE 2. Mr. Hayes submitted the report of the Regional Vocational-Technical School Planning Committee as follows:

Mr. Moderator, Town Meeting Members:

With your permission, the Braintree Regional Vocational-Technical School Planning Committee offers this summary of their report in order to conserve your time.

The need for a Regional-Vocational School in this area has been well established by a survey published September, 1962, conducted by the Vocational Division of the State Department of Education. Braintree's interest was established by a survey conducted by the Braintree Public School Guidance Department in which 75% of those surveyed indicated that Braintree should be a part of a Regional Vocational-Technical setup.

In a recent decision of the Parent Committee approved by the State Department of Education, Braintree would be a part of a region consisting of Randolph, Holbrook, Avon, Canton, Norwood, Milton and Westwood. The remaining members of the original sixteen towns would comprise a separate region.

The Braintree Committee, after thorough investigation strongly recommends that the study of the Regional School be continued and a sum of \$2500 be appropriated under Article 48 as recommended by the Finance Committee. The committee feels that Braintree can gain in many ways by participating in a Vocational School:

1. The programs that could be offered would be so varied that to try to offer them on a local basis would entail prohibitive costs.
2. Evening adult programs could also be offered to make the citizens of our town a more informed group.
3. Programs could be designed to upgrade those already working at the trades.
4. Financial gains would be realized and would, in all likelihood, allow the town to educate the participating students at little cost.

The action of the Town Meeting Members under Article 48 in no way commits the town to join the regional setup. The \$2500 requested is to pay for the printing of a brochure to be sent to every family in town in order that they may vote intelligently on this question at a regular town election. By law, the region must be accepted by the voters of this town at a regular election. The committee wishes to thank all those who have cooperated with them in their endeavor. A full and lengthy report has been submitted to both the Town Moderator and to the Finance Committee.

Arthur Hayes, Chairman
A. Ross Malcolm, Secretary
Robert Barrett

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the report of the Committee be accepted as a report of progress.

ARTICLE 48. Regional Vocational School District Planning Committee.

SO VOTED: That there be raised and appropriated the sum of \$2500. for the expenses of the Regional Vocational School District Planning Committee. \$ 2,500.00

ARTICLE 2. Mr. Williams submitted the report of the Credit Union Study Committee as follows:

Last year at the request of the town meeting, the Moderator appointed a committee of five to study the problem of deductions by the Town Treasurer for the School Department Federal Credit Union. The following is the study committee report:

Your committee has held four meetings and studied the existing situation both at the Town Treasurer's Office and at the School Department Administration Building. The payroll for school employees is now prepared on a ten columnar-add bookkeeping machine. Since the date of installation of this machine six years ago the spare columns have been used up for Group Insurance and State Withholding Tax, so that now there are no open columns. This committee feels that an additional payroll deduction is not feasible with the present machine and payroll forms. As a matter of fact, the question of how to provide for the additional deduction for the optional group insurance voted by the town as a referendum item at the Spring election is still unresolved.

Because of a recent breakdown in the present bookkeeping machine and its limited ability to provide other desired accounting and inventory calculations, we understand that our School Committee will study the purchase of a seventeen columnar-add machine. If at some future date a larger machine is installed, this committee feels that one of the extra columns could be used for a payroll deduction for deposits only for the School Department Federal Credit Union.

Since this committee has not recommended payroll deduction, we have not reported on the costs involved. However, if some future Town Meeting is asked to reconsider its previous action, this committee recommends that the Finance Committee analyze these costs and report to the Town Meeting members.

The Committee is most appreciative of the assistance it received from the School Department employees, the Town Treasurer, and Credit Union members. We now request that the Credit Union Study Committee be discharged.

Elmer T. Loring
Arigo L. LaTanzi
William Lammers
Mrs. Thelma Hedlund
H. James Williams, Jr., Chairman

MINORITY REPORT

Our School Department employees as well as municipal employees generally have little difficulty in obtaining credit with conventional lending institutions because of their stable, secure employment. The undersigned does not feel that there is a need existing in the Town which would lead me to recommend further expansion of the credit union. Certainly we are not helping our school employees when we encourage them to borrow at higher interest rates than are available through regular banks.

A Municipal Credit Union is a banking function supported by the taxpayers. Among the taxpayers in the Town of Braintree are two commercial banks and two savings banks who pay real estate and other taxes. These banks offer the same services as a credit union.

H. James Williams, Jr.

SO. VOTED: That the report of the Committee be accepted and the Committee discharged.

ARTICLE 49. Construction of sidewalks on certain streets.

MOVED by Mr. Littlejohn:

That there be raised and appropriated the sum of \$1,242.50 for sidewalks on the easterly side of Willard Street, the sum of \$725.50 for sidewalks on the northerly side of Stetson Street from Brookside Road to Elliott Street, the sum of \$1,694.00 for sidewalks on the easterly side of Elliott Street from Stetson Street to Walnut Avenue, the sum of \$2,567.50 for sidewalks on the westerly side of Faxon Street, the sum of \$1,530.00 for sidewalks on the south side of River Street, between Middle Street and Arnold Road, and that betterments to the extent of 50 per cent of the cost be assessed on abutting estates. \$ 7,761.50

Discussion ensued involving Mr. Littlejohn, Mr. McConnell, Mr. Proctor, Mr. White, Mr. Malcolm, Mr. Skinner and Mr. Morton.

Comes now the question on the motion.

SO VOTED

ARTICLE 50. Baseball backstop at French's Common.

MOVED by Mr. McMaster:

That the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$600.00 for the purpose of increasing the height and length of the Baseball Backstop at French's Common.

Discussion ensued involving Mr. McMaster and Mr. McConnell.

Comes now the question on the motion by Mr. McMaster.

Vote was taken and the Moderator declared the motion by Mr. McMaster LOST.

ARTICLE 51. Transfer of land to Park and Playground Commissioners.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: Indefinite postponement.

ARTICLE 2.

Upon motion duly made by Mr. Hollis the following resolution was

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:

Sentiments of the Braintree Town Meeting on the
Accomplishments of the Braintree Housing Authority

We, the Town Meeting members, in meeting assembled on Monday, March 25, 1963, express our deep appreciation and sincere congratulations to the Braintree Housing Authority and to the several citizens who have faithfully serviced as members of the Authority, for the many accomplishments from the time of organization of the Authority on August 9, 1948 to the present. We are grateful for the splendid foresight and excellent management shown by the Authority as evidenced by the happiness and comfort extended to several hundred veterans from the first occupancies of the ninety housing units in 1950 through 1961 when the last of these houses was sold.

We are also extremely pleased to acknowledge the payment to our Town of the balancing fund in the sum of \$66,000.00 in 1961.

SO VOTED: That Article 52 and Article 55 be considered in conjunction at this time.

ARTICLE 52. Acquisition of site for Park and Playground.

ARTICLE 55. Amend Zoning By-Laws, land on easterly side of Washington Street.

That the Town amend the Zoning By-Law and the Zoning Map dated May 20, 1940, as most previously amended so that the present residence C zone area opposite the post office on the easterly side of Washington Street be extended to include the entire Plot No. 5 as shown on Assessors' Plan No. 2020.

Discussion ensued involving Mr. Magaldi and Mr. Opie.

Comes now the question on the motion under Article 55.

Vote was taken and there being votes in the negative the Moderator ordered a Teller count. Vote and count were taken and the Tellers reported 142 votes in the affirmative and 16 votes in the negative. The Moderator declared that there being more than the required two-thirds vote in the affirmative the motion by Mr. Magaldi under Article 55 was

SO VOTED

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town purchase or take by eminent domain four certain parcels of lands shown as Plots 4B, Part of Plot 2 and Part of Plot 3 on Assessors' Plan No. 2020 and part of Plots 43A as shown on Assessors' Plan No. 2021 and appropriate the sum of two thousand dollars therefor, provided, however that before the purchase of Plot 4B the seller shall construct or provide for the construction of a way from Washington Street to said Plot 4B in accordance with specifications to be supplied by the Superintendent of Highways. \$ 2,000.00

ARTICLE 2. Mr. Grady submitted the report of the Committee to study and prepare rules and regulations relative to the installation of fire detection alarm systems in new dwellings, as follows:

This matter has been thoroughly reviewed during the past year. Various items have been studied; the by-laws of surrounding towns, three of which include provisions for this type of alarm, the recommendations of the National Board of Fire Underwriters, also the basic reasons for having such detection systems in dwellings.

The Committee has been unable to find any objections to these systems by any Protective or Insurance Organizations.

The Committee has drafted a set of By-laws from the various by-laws and recommendations which it studied and, since the primary object of these

regulations is to save lives by awakening the occupants, the committee hopes they will receive favorable action.

Arthur Lucas
Ernest Reynolds
Harry Sears
Daniel Maloney - Chairman
Charles Grady - Secretary

SO VOTED: That the report of the Committee be accepted and the Committee discharged.

ARTICLE 53. Amend Building Code, Fire Detection Alarm Systems.

That the Town will vote to amend the Building Code of the Town By-Laws by adding to Part XII a new paragraph 6 to read as follows:

Paragraph 6.

In all structures used for residential purposes hereinafter constructed, there shall be permanently installed an approved heat activated fire detection alarm system. All such devices must be of a type approved by a Board consisting of the Chief of the Fire Department, Inspector of Buildings, and Inspector of Wires. The alarm shall be sufficiently loud and suitably located to arouse all persons residing therein. All such installations shall be in accordance with such rules and regulations as may be established by the Board.

Discussion ensued involving Mr. Grady, Mr. McConnell and Fire Chief Sears.

Comes now the question on the motion.

The Moderator ordered a Teller count. Vote and count were taken and the Tellers reported 99 votes in the affirmative and 57 votes in the negative. The Moderator declared that there not being the required two-thirds vote in the affirmative the motion by Mr. Grady was LOST.

ARTICLE 54. Amend Zoning By-Laws, Traffic visibility across corners.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town amend the Zoning By-Laws by adding a new paragraph 6a to Section VIII reading as follows:

Sec. VIII. Par. 6a Traffic Visibility Across Corners - In any district no fence, planting, foliage or other shrubbery shall be maintained between a plane two and one half feet above the curb level and a plane seven feet above a curb level so as to interfere with traffic visibility across the corner or side yard which is within a triangle bounded by the street lot lines and a straight line drawn between points on each such lot line 25 feet from the intersection of said lines or extension thereof.

MOVED by Mr. Young in compliance with Article II, Section 7, of the By-laws:

Reconsideration of action taken under Article 39.

Mr. Hunt reported for the Committee appointed earlier in the evening to consider action to be taken in relation to sewers.

Comes now the question on the motion.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED

ARTICLE 39. Construction of lateral sewers.

That there be raised and appropriated the sum of \$450,000. for the construction of additional sewers for sanitary purposes under the direction of the Sewer Commissioners and that to meet said appropriation the sum of \$78,767.18 be taken from Sewer Receipts reserved for appropriation and \$21,232.82 be raised in the tax levy and that the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen be and hereby is authorized to borrow the sum of \$350,000.00 and to issue bonds or notes of the Town therefor payable in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws. And further that of the sums so raised the Sewer Commissioners are instructed to expend such sums as may be necessary, not exceeding \$100,000.00, in conjunction with sums to be raised from the tax levy under Article 66 of this warrant for the construction of the specific lateral sewers listed in the vote taken under said Article 66. \$450,000.00

Mr. Hunt spoke on the motion.

Comes now the question on the motion.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED

ARTICLE 2.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That it is the sense of this meeting that in arranging the borrowing required under Article 39, the Treasurer be requested to borrow \$250,000.00 for a term of not more than 20 years and \$100,000.00 for a term of not more than 5 years and that no monies be borrowed under Article 66.

ARTICLE 2.

Resolved that it is the sense of this meeting that the 5 year sewer extension program is not adequately financed at \$350,000.00 per year and that a single annual appropriation of \$500,000.00 should be raised for this purpose during the next 2 years.

Comes now the question on the motion by Mr. Paul Young.

Vote was taken and there being votes in the negative the Moderator ordered a Teller count. Vote and count were taken and the Tellers reported 94 votes in the affirmative and 69 votes in the negative. The Moderator then declared the motion by Mr. Paul Young was

SO VOTED

MOVED by Mr. McConnell in compliance with Article II, Section 7, of the By-Laws:

Reconsideration of the action taken under Article 41.

Discussion ensued involving Mr. McConnell, Mr. Withington and Mr. Hunt.

Comes now the question on the motion.

Vote was taken and the Moderator declared the motion by Mr. McConnell LOST.

ARTICLE 56. Acceptance as Town Ways: Winter Street, Birch Street, Tower Hill Road.

SO VOTED: That the Town accept as and for a Town Way the following streets as laid out by the Selectmen: Winter Street, Birch Street, Tower Hill Road.

ARTICLE 57. Acceptance as Town Way: Meadowbrook Road.

SO VOTED: That the Town accept as and for a Town Way the following street as laid out by the Selectmen: Meadowbrook Road.

ARTICLE 58. Acceptance as Town Way: Forbes Road

SO VOTED: To accept as and for a Town Way Forbes Road as originally laid out by the Commonwealth on behalf of the Town in 1957, and as relocated and widened by the Board of Selectmen in 1963, and raise and appropriate the sum of \$3263.55 for construction and relocation of the same. \$ 3,263.55

ARTICLE 59. Acceptance as Town Way: Ivory Street.

SO VOTED: Indefinite postponement.

ARTICLE 60. Acceptance as Town Way: Selwyn Road.

SO VOTED: That the Town accept as and for a Town Way the following street as laid out by the Selectmen: Selwyn Road.

ARTICLE 61. Acceptance as Town Way: Old Country Way.

SO VOTED: Indefinite postponement.

ARTICLE 62. Acceptance as Town Ways: Norfolk Road and Helen Road.

SO VOTED: That the Town accept as and for a Town Way the following streets as laid out by the Selectmen: Norfolk Road Easterly from Middle Street for a distance of 1150 ft.; Helen Road Southerly from Norfolk Road to Doris Road for a distance of 550 ft.

ARTICLE 63. Acceptance as Town Way: Belknap Road.

SO VOTED: That the Town accept as and for a Town Way the following street as laid out by the Selectmen: Belknap Road.

ARTICLE 64. Acceptance as Town Way: Putnam Avenue.

SO VOTED: That the Town accept as and for a Town Way, Putnam Avenue for a distance of 75 ft. Easterly, as laid out by the Selectmen, from present acceptance, and raise and appropriate the sum of \$668.75 to be expended under the direction of the Highway Superintendent for improvement of same with betterment assessments to the extent of sixty-six and two-thirds per cent of the actual cost on abutting estates. 668.75

ARTICLE 65. Construction of Sidewalks on certain Streets.

That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,907.50 for the construction of sidewalks on Cleveland Avenue, west side from Union Street to the Penniman School under the Betterment Act or otherwise, or take any other action relative thereto. Betterment Assessments are to be assessed to the extent of 50% of the actual costs on the abutting estates. \$ 1,907.50

Discussion ensued involving Mr. Kazanowski, Mr. Morton and Mr. McConnell.

Comes now the question on the motion.

SO VOTED

SO VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,686.00 to be expended under the direction of the Highway Superintendent, for the construction of a sidewalk on the Easterly side of Walnut Street, extending from 191 Walnut Street to Francine Drive and on the Northerly side of Lakeside Drive from Walnut Street to the Lakeside School Driveway and that betterment assessments be made to the extent of 50% of actual cost on the abutting estates. 3,686.00

SO VOTED: That there be raised and appropriated \$7,235.00 to be expended under the direction of the Highway Superintendent to complete the construction of sidewalks on both sides of French Avenue and that betterments to the extent of 50% of the cost be assessed on the abutting estates. 7,235.00

ARTICLE 67. First Parish Cemetery.

(No action necessary. Refer to Article 14, Item 35.)

ARTICLE 68. Unpaid Bills.

SO VOTED: That the following unpaid bills not in excess of appropriation be paid: Police Chief - Salary \$20.00; Welfare Dept., \$713.18. 733.18

MOVED by Police Chief Polio:

That the sum of \$681.81 be appropriated for unpaid bills incurred during the year 1962 in excess of appropriations. 681.81

Discussion ensued involving Police Chief Polio and Mr. McConnell.

Comes now the question on the motion by Police Chief Polio.

The Moderator ordered a Teller count. Vote and count were taken and the Tellers reported 142 votes in the affirmative and 8 votes in the negative. The Moderator declared that there being more than the required four-fifths vote in the affirmative the motion by Police Chief Polio was

SO VOTED

MOVED by Mr. Bean:

That \$222.05 be appropriated to meet unpaid bills incurred by the Library in 1962 in excess of appropriation. \$ 222.05

Discussion ensued involving Mr. Bean and Mr. McConnell.

Comes now the question on the motion by Mr. Bean,

The Moderator ordered a Teller count. Vote and count were taken and the Tellers reported 135 votes in the affirmative and 9 votes in the negative. The Moderator then declared that there being more than the required four-fifths vote in the affirmative the motion by Mr. Bean was

SO VOTED

ARTICLE 2.

Upon motion duly made by Mr. Hollis the following resolution was

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED

Sentiments of the 1963 Annual Town Meeting

We, the members of the Annual Braintree Town Meeting assembled for its final session on Monday, March 25, 1963, express our appreciation and heartfelt thanks for the fine leadership and excellent conduct of our 1963 Town Meeting to:

Our Moderator, John J. Canavan
Our Town Clerk, Carl R. Johnson, Jr.
Our Town Counsel, Richard A. Hunt
Our Finance Committee Chairman, R. Stanley McConnell
and his Committee, and
Our Personnel Board Chairman, Donald J. Laing and his Board

We are also grateful for the unbiased reporting of the several sessions of our Meeting by our news media:

Radio Station WJDA
Quincy Patriot Ledger
Braintree Sunday News and
The Observer.

Upon motion duly made by Mr. Delory, it was

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Annual Town Meeting stand adjourned.

SPECIAL MEETING OF TOWN MEETING MEMBERS

Braintree, Massachusetts
June 17, 1963

Under the Provisions of Section 8, Chapter 17 of the Acts of 1937, a Special Meeting of the Town Meeting Members elected from Precinct 6 was held at the Town Clerk's Office at 7:15 P.M. June 17, 1963. The Meeting was called to order by Carl R. Johnson, Jr., Town Clerk, for the purpose of organizing temporarily, in order to determine by ballot the filling of (1) vacancy caused by the death of Margaret C. Palmer.

JANICE C. BLOOMINGDALE was nominated for Temporary Clerk.

There being no other nominations, and a vote being taken, JANICE C. BLOOMINGDALE was unanimously chosen Temporary Clerk, and having been duly sworn, thereafter presided until the election of a Temporary Chairman.

RAYMOND V. JOHNSON was nominated Temporary Chairman, there being no other nominations, and a vote take, RAYMOND V. JOHNSON was unanimously chosen Temporary Chairman.

The only business to come before the Meeting was the election of (1) Town Meeting Member to serve until the next Annual Town Election.

Tellers were appointed by the chair and ballots distributed. The ballots being received and counted, it was declared by the chair that the following Town Meeting Member was elected:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
<u>EDWARD A. FINOCCHIARO</u>	<u>57 EDGEHILL ROAD</u>
	<u>R. V. JOHNSON</u>
	TEMPORARY CHAIRMAN
	<u>JANICE C. BLOOMINGDALE</u>
	TEMPORARY CLERK

INDEX FOR JUNE 17, 1963

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2	Amend Zoning By-law and Zoning Map		
3	Pedestrian Lights on Commercial Street	<u>\$3,000.00</u>	<u> </u>
	Appropriations to be raised by		
	Taxation	\$3,000.00	
	Appropriations not in Tax Levy		\$29,350.00
	Total Appropriations	\$32,350.00	

CODE

A Available Funds in the Treasury

TOWN OF BRAINTREE

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

MONDAY, JUNE 17, 1963

Pursuant to a Warrant duly issued, the Special Town Meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Braintree, represented by their duly elected and qualified Town Meeting Members, was held in the Braintree Town Hall on Monday, June 17, 1963.

The meeting was called to order at 8:00 o'clock in the evening by the Moderator, Mr. John J. Canavan.

The meeting stood for a moment of silent prayer in memory of the following Town Meeting Member who has passed away since the last Town Meeting: Mrs. Margaret C. Palmer, Precinct 6.

The meeting remained standing for silent individual prayer for Divine Guidance at this Special Town Meeting.

The Moderator stated that the Town Meeting Members in Precinct 6 had held a special town meeting prior to this Special Town Meeting and had selected Edward A. Finocchiaro of 57 Edgehill Road to fill the vacancy caused by the passing of Mrs. Margaret C. Palmer.

Whereupon, upon motion duly made by Mr. Smith, it was

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That this meeting does hereby adjudge that the following individual has been duly elected and is qualified to act as a member of this meeting for a term ending at the next Annual Town Election, this vote being taken to confirm the action of the Town Meeting Members of Precinct 6: Edward A. Finocchiaro, 57 Edgehill Road.

There were 162 Town Meeting Members present.

The Moderator declared a quorum present.

The following Tellers were appointed by the Moderator to serve during the course of the evening.

Robert J. Mitchell
Robert K. Stanley
Philip J. Clement
Marjorie Bates

Ovidio D. Chiesa
Natalie H. Stovold
L. Bradford Morton
Sidney B. Tinson

Upon motion duly made by Mr. Hollis the following resolution was

UNANIMOUSLY ADOPTED:

SENTIMENTS ON THE RETIREMENT
OF
SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT RALPH W. PROCTOR

Ralph W. Proctor was appointed Superintendent of the Braintree Public Schools in 1946. At that time the total school enrollments was 3491.

During the intervening seventeen years the population of our Town, as it has in most of our neighboring Towns, surged to more than double its former size which as resulted in increasing our school enrollment to the total of 7401 in the present year.

Braintree has been most fortunate in having Mr. Proctor as our Superintendent to provide the necessary guidance in planning for the necessary teaching and administrative staffs, and for the construction of proper school housing facilities so that our Town could cope with this population explosion and that every child would have an equal opportunity. Because of his guidance Braintree Schools are recognized as one of the best school systems in our Commonwealth..

In view of his great contribution to the educational system of our Town, and for his demonstrated leadership, and with the knowledge he is to retire on July 31, 1963.

We, the Moderator and Town Meeting Members duly assembled for a Special Town Meeting on this seventeenth day of June, 1963, express our sincere gratitude to Ralph W. Proctor for the many and varied contributions he has made to our school system during the past seventeen years and wish for him complete good health and happiness in all of the years ahead.

We further request these sentiments be placed on the records of this Special Town Meeting and further that a copy of the same be sent to Mr. Proctor.

Mr. Proctor acknowledged the tribute by the meeting and expressed his gratitude and appreciation for the support by the Town Meeting Members and citizens of the Town of the Braintree School Program during his tenure of office.

We now continue with consideration of the Articles in the Warrant.

ARTICLE 1. Granite Street Sanitary Sewer.

To appropriate the sum of \$29,350.00 in addition to
sums appropriated under Article No. 53 of the 1962
Annual Town Meeting for construction of and extension

\$29,350.00A

to Granite Street sanitary sewer to serve business and industrial properties on the Northerly side of Route 128, including the payment of charges incurred in excess of appropriation for said project, which resulted from an excess of costs over estimates, and other causes, and that to meet said appropriation \$29,350.00 be transferred from available funds in the Treasury.

Mr. Dyer explained the reasons for the motion.

Comes now the question on the motion.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED

ARTICLE 2. Amend Zoning By-law and Zoning Map.

Mr. Magaldi, Chairman of the Planning Board, formally filed the report of the Planning Board with the Town Clerk, as required by the General Laws.

MOVED

That the Town vote to amend the Zoning By-law and the Zoning Map dated May 2, 1940, as most previously amended, by providing that a track of land containing approximately 12 acres located in the northeasterly section of Braintree on the west side of Howard Street, adjacent to the Braintree-Quincy boundary line, shown as plots numbers 12, 13, 14 and 15 on Braintree Assessors' Plan No. 3049 be changed from Industrial District Zoning to Residential C District Zoning.

Discussion ensued involving Mr. Magaldi, Mr. Smith and Mrs. Stovold.

Comes now the question on the motion.

The Moderator stated that the motion would required a two-thirds vote in the affirmative for acceptance. Vote was taken and there being votes in the negative the Moderator ordered a Teller count. Vote and count were taken and the Tellers reported 154 votes in the affirmative and 2 votes in the negative. The Moderator then declared that there being more than the required two-thirds vote in the affirmative the motion by Mr. Magaldi was

SO VOTED

ARTICLE 3. Pedestrian Lights on Commercial Street.

MOVED:

Indefinite postponement.

MOVED by Police Chief Polio:

That the sum of \$3,000 be raised and appropriated for the installation of Pedestrian Lights on Commercial Street, approximately 100 feet north of Magnolia Street, East Braintree, installation subject to approval of the State Department of Public Works, lights to conform with Pedestrian Law Chapter 409, Acts 1962.	\$3,000.00
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Mr. Paul Young spoke on the motions.

Comes now the question on the motion by Mr. Smith.

Vote was taken and the Moderator declared the motion by Mr. Smith LOST.

Discussion ensued involving Mr. Smith and Police Chief Polio.

Comes now the question on the motion.

SO VOTED

The Moderator paid tribute to Mr. Edward R. Myrbeck on his recent election and installation as Grand Chief of the Independent Order of Vikings. Mr. Myrbeck for many years has provided the public address system which has made the Town Meetings more effective and meaningful.

Upon motion duly made by Mr. Delory, it was

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Special Town Meeting stand adjourned.

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	Total appropriations not in Tax Levy	<u>738,842.07</u>

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TOWN OF BRAINTREE
SPECIAL TOWN MEETING
TUESDAY, OCTOBER 29, 1963

Pursuant to a Warrant duly issued, the Special Town Meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Braintree, represented by their duly elected and qualified Town Meeting Members, was held in the Braintree Town Hall on Tuesday, October 29, 1963.

The meeting was called to order at 7:50 o'clock in the evening by the Moderator, Mr. John J. Canavan.

Prayer for Divine Guidance was offered by Rev. John R. Dallinger, Pastor of the Emanuel Episcopal Church.

The following Tellers were appointed by the Moderator to serve during the course of the evening.

Knute Ingmanson
Natalie H. Stovold
John A. Stenberg
Marjorie Bates

Rachel C. White
Mitchell W. Gawlowicz
Philip S. Dexter, Jr.
Patricia J. Arnold

The meeting stood for a moment of silent prayer in memory of the following Town Meeting Members who have passed away since the last Town Meeting: Mr. John E. Cannon, Precinct 6; Mr. Russell H. Wright, Precinct 6.

There were 174 Town Meeting Members present.

The Moderator declared a quorum present.

Upon motion duly made by Mr. Hollis the following sentiments of the meeting were

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED

SENTIMENTS ON THE DEATH OF

JOHN QUINCY WENTWORTH

As we begin our deliberations on the article in the warrant for this October 29, 1963 Special Town Meeting, we pause momentarily to express our deep gratitude to one who is no longer with us.

On August 7, 1963 our community was shocked to learn of the passing of our former Highway Department Superintendent

JOHN QUINCY WENTWORTH

which was preceded by a short illness.

MR. WENTWORTH began his service in the Highway Department as a laborer in 1921. He was subsequently promoted to the position of truck driver, then to foreman and later to Assistant Superintendent. In 1938 he was appointed Superintendent by the Selectmen, which position he held until his retirement on June 30, 1961.

During his service as Highway Superintendent, MR. WENTWORTH planned most of the modern local highway program in our Town which, although most citizens do not know the origin of its planning and the execution of those plans, enjoy the good highways daily. One of his great accomplishments was his efficient program of snow removal, which was the subject of favorable discussion not only in Braintree but in all of the surrounding communities.

He was a member of the Massachusetts Highway Association from 1938 to 1961. The Braintree Savings Bank elected him a corporator on January 15, 1940. Since his retirement he has conducted a business at the South Shore Plaza.

He was born in Braintree on March 13, 1901 and is a product of the Braintree school system, having been graduated from the Jonas Perkins School in 1915 and from Braintree High School in 1919. He later attended Huntington School in Boston. During his high school years he was the leading pitcher on the baseball team. He later pitched for the old Braintree White Sox and at one time was its manager.

It is the sentiment of this meeting that we express the sincere gratitude of the Town of Braintree to his loyal widow, Eleanor, to his daughters Sally Schatzl and Janice Rand and to his three fine grandchildren for the loyal, efficient, devoted and untiring service by John Quincy Wentworth during the forty years he served our fine Town.

It is required that our Town Clerk record on our records and submit a copy of these sentiments to Mr. Wentworth's widow.

Mrs. Shuster presented the new Superintendent of Schools, Mr. William F. Young, to the meeting. Mr. Young spoke briefly and was received with applause by the Town Meeting Members.

The Moderator recognized the presence of a group of Boy Scouts from Troop 22 attending the Town Meeting as part of the requirements for their Citizenship Merit Badge; also Mr. Richard Melick, Moderator for the Town of Needham; also Mr. Frank Manchester and Mr. Ernest Fleischman, Doctorate students at the Harvard School of Education.

The Moderator reminded the Town Meeting Members that the next Annual Town Meeting would be held on successive nights, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, with adjournment hopefully on Thursday.

Mr. Beaver presented the following report by the Committee for the Aging:

At the March 1963 town meeting, a progress report was submitted and an article by the Committee for the Aging was acted upon. The article called for "Housing for the Elderly" in Braintree and the expense involved the town only in obtaining the land. All other expense would be taken care of by state and federal funds.

The article was not accepted at town meeting. Since town meeting closed, however, several resignations on the committee were received by the moderator and in addition two other members were seriously ill for several months. As a result the committee has been unable to function. As acting chairman, I ask you, Mr. Moderator, to dismiss the committee.

Acting Chairman
Howard R. Beaver

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the report of the Committee for the Aging be accepted with thanks and that the Committee be discharged.

Mr. Smith reported for the Finance Committee as to the effect action on the various Articles in the Warrant would have on the finances of the Town.

We now continue with consideration of the Articles in the Warrant.

ARTICLE 1. Addition to Liberty Elementary School

That there be raised and appropriated the sum of \$388,420.00 to construct an addition to the Liberty Elementary School, and originally equip and furnish same, and that to meet said appropriation the sum of \$13,420.00 be raised from available funds, and the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen be and hereby is authorized to borrow the sum of \$375,000.00 under authority of Chapter 645 of the Acts of 1948 as most recently amended and to issue bonds or notes of the Town therefore payable in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws so that the whole loan shall be paid in not more than 10 years from the date of issuance of the first bond or note at such earlier time as the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen may determine.

\$ 13,420.00A

375,000.00B

Mr. Smith spoke on the motion.

Comes now the question on the motion.

The Moderator stated that the motion would require a two-thirds vote in the affirmative for acceptance. Vote was taken and there being votes in the negative the Moderator ordered a Teller count. Vote and count were taken and the Tellers reported 160 votes in the affirmative and 4 votes in the negative. The Moderator then declared that there being more than the required two-thirds vote in the affirmative the motion by Mr. Smith was

SO VOTED

ARTICLE 2. Addition to Noah Torrey Primary School.

That there be raised and appropriated the sum of \$86,200.00 to construct, originally equip and furnish an addition to the Noah Torrey School to provide kitchen, cafeteria, and storage areas and that to meet said appropriation the sum of \$11,200.00 be raised from available funds, and the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen be and hereby is authorized to borrow the sum of \$75,000.00 under authority of Chapter 645 of the Acts of 1948 as most recently amended and to issue bonds or notes of the Town therefore payable in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws so that the whole loan shall be paid in not more than 5 years from the date of issuance of the first note or bond or at such earlier time as the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen may determine.

11,200.00A

75,000.00B

Discussion ensued involving Mr. Smith, Mrs. Nicosia and Miss Bates.

Comes now the question on the motion.

The Moderator stated that the motion would require a two-thirds vote in the affirmative for acceptance and called for a Teller count. Vote and count were taken and the Tellers reported 153 votes in the affirmative and 7 votes in the negative. The Moderator then declared that there being more than the required two-thirds vote in the affirmative the motion by Mr. Smith was

SO VOTED

The Moderator presented Mr. Edwin Emerson, the new Chairman of the Personnel Board, to the meeting and stated that the annual report of the Personnel Board was available on the tables for the Town Meeting Members. The Moderator commended Mr. Emerson for the savings in postage costs thus effected.

ARTICLE 3. Increase in number of members of the School Committee.

SO VOTED: To increase the number of the members of the School Committee from six to seven, and further to accomplish said purpose by electing at the annual Town Election of 1964 three members to serve for three years, together with the present members whose terms do not then expire, and to provide that their successors shall each be elected for a term of three years.

ARTICLE 4. Increase in number of members of the Board of Selectmen.

Mr. Withington presented the following report of the Town Government Study Committee:

The Town Government Study Committee appointed by the Town Moderator by authority of the Town Meeting of 1958, and increased by action of the Town Meeting of 1960, now respectfully requests their discharge at this special Town Meeting.

Regardless of the outcome of this article requesting a change in the number of Board of Selectmen members, it is our feeling that our responsibilities should be terminated at this time.

Our committee has served continuously for over 5 years. Our one and only request for funds was in 1959 for the cost of a professional study to be made of the town. This P.A.S. report was distributed to the Town Meeting. Many of the recommendations of this report have been put into effect by town meeting action, by action of the department heads themselves, and by the Boards who were responsible for various departments.

We feel that much has been accomplished. The fact that we have made the town and the Town Meeting aware of certain growth problems, and pointed up certain weaknesses in our present mode of operation has been invaluable. It has brought discussion and thought to provide possible solutions.

It is our conviction that Braintree may be most grateful and proud that so many dedicated individuals have served and are serving practically without pay on the many Boards and committees. However, the growth of the town demands some form of full-time administration. These groups need assistance to cope with their ever-increasing and complicated problems. Although the Town Meeting has not agreed with our recommendations for the major structural change to executive secretary, or administrative assistance, we feel that some solution will be forthcoming to strengthen and coordinate the town's administrative responsibilities.

Much research has been done by this committee. Contacts have been made, visits have been made to see other various town operations, the committee has spent many hours of discussion, interviews and study. Many other towns have sought our guidance in seeking solutions to their problems.

It is our recommendation that the Moderator appoint a new committee of 5 to continue this objective study of the operation of Town Government with a fresh outlook and fresh faces to develop their recommendations for future Town Meetings. Our file could then be turned over in its entirety to this new committee.

Respectfully,

Whitney Withington, Chairman
Ovidio D. Chiesa, Vice Chairman
William G. Dyer (Sewer Board)
William H. Gustafson
Allan C. Emery, Jr.
Walter H. Hansen (Electric Light Board)
Edward H. Libertine
Thomas H. Matthews (Water Board)
William E. Trainor (Formerly, School Board)
Paul H. Young (Board of Selectmen)

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the report of the Town Government Study Committee be accepted with thanks and the Committee discharged.

MOVED by Mr. Smith:

To increase the number of members of the Board of Selectmen from three to five, and further to accomplish said purpose by electing at the annual Town Election of 1964 one member to serve three years, one member to serve two years, and one member to serve one year, together with the present members whose terms do not expire and to provide that their successors shall be elected for a term of three years.

Discussion ensued involving Mr. James Sullivan, Mr. Withington, Mr. Carns, Mr. Malcolm and Mr. Thomas Matthews.

Comes now the question on the motion.

The Moderator ordered a Teller count. Vote and count were taken and the Tellers reported 76 votes in the affirmative and 89 votes in the negative. The Moderator then declared that there not being a majority vote in the affirmative that the motion by Mr. Smith was LOST.

ARTICLE 5. Chester W. and Margaret A. Daily Scholarship Fund.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town accept the gift of Chester W. and Margaret A. Daily Scholarship Fund and hold the same under the terms of a trust provided for and referred to in a resolution adopted under Article 2 of the 1963 Annual Town Meeting.

The Moderator requested Mr. Daily to rise and the Town Meeting Members applauded in appreciation of the gift by Mr. and Mrs. Daily.

ARTICLE 6. Sewer construction, Farm and Monatiquot River Valleys.

That there be raised and appropriated the sum of \$130,000.00 to be expended by the Board of Sewer

Commissioners for the extension of the construction of a main trunk sewer in the Farm and Monatiquot River Valleys, and that to meet said appropriation the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow the sum of \$130,000.00 and to issue bonds or notes of the Town therefore payable in accordance with the provisions of Chapter #44 of the General Laws so that the whole loan shall be paid in not more than 5 years from the date of issue of the first bond or note, or at such earlier time as the Treasurer or Selectmen may determine.

\$130,000.00B

Discussion ensued involving Mr. Dyer and Mr. Brooks.

Comes now the question on the motion.

The Moderator stated that the motion would require a two-thirds vote in the affirmative for acceptance. The Moderator ordered a Teller count. Vote and count were taken and the Tellers reported 153 votes in the affirmative and 1 vote in the negative. The Moderator then declared that there being more than the required two-thirds vote in the affirmative the motion by Mr. Smith was

SO VOTED

ARTICLE 7. House Connections for Sewers.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That there be raised and appropriated the sum of \$56,148.00 to be expended by the Board of Sewer Commissioners for House Connections, in addition to that appropriated under Article #14 of the 1963 Annual Town Meeting, and that to meet the said appropriation the sum of \$6,148.00 be taken from available funds, and that the Treasurer, with the approval of Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow the sum of \$50,000.00 and to issue bonds or notes of the Town therefore payable in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws so that the whole loan shall be paid in not more than 5 years from the date of issue of the first bond or note, or at such earlier time as the Treasurer or Selectmen may determine.

\$ 6,148.00A

50,000.00B

ARTICLE 8. Rescind portion of action under Article 66 of 1963 Annual Town Meeting.

SO VOTED: That the Town Meeting rescind that portion, and that portion only, of the action taken under Article 66 of the 1963 Annual Town Meeting which authorizes the borrowing of the sum of \$100,000. since the necessary authority therefor was duplicated on the action taken under Article 39 of said Annual Meeting.

ARTICLE 9. Transfer of money in Police accounts.

SO VOTED: By and with the approval of the Finance Committee that there be transferred from the 1963 Police Department Budget-Lieutenants Salary Account to the Patrolmans Salary Account the amount of \$1,000.00.

ARTICLE 10. Veterans' benefits.

That there be raised and appropriated the sum of \$18,500.00 for the Veterans Services Department to be expended by them for Veterans Benefits, and to meet said appropriation \$18,500.00 be taken from Available Funds. \$ 18,500.00A

Mr. Smith spoke on the motion.

Comes now the question on the motion.

SO VOTED

ARTICLE 11. Construction on Common Street.

SO VOTED: That there be appropriated and transferred from available funds in the treasury the sum of \$10,274.07 to meet the balance due from the Town for its portion of the cost of the construction on Common Street, and to rescind that portion of the vote taken under Article 60 of the Annual Town Meeting for 1958, authorizing the borrowing of \$36,000. therefor so that the total amount to be expended for said purpose shall be \$14,000. raised in the tax levy for that year, together with the \$10,274.07 hereby appropriated in lieu of the \$50,000. originally appropriated. 10,274.07A

ARTICLE 12. Land at Argyle Road and Arborway Drive from Residence B to Business.

That a parcel of land containing 5,980 square feet, located at the corner of Argyle Road and Arborway Drive in East Braintree, shown as Plot No. 29 on Assessors' Plan No. 3042 be changed from Residence B Zone to Business Zone.

Mr. Magaldi, Chairman of the Planning Board, formally filed the report of the Planning Board with the Town Clerk, as required by the General Laws.

Discussion ensued involving Mr. Magaldi, Mr. Corbett, Mr. Delory, Mr. Barry Reed, and Mr. LeRoy.

Comes now the question on the motion.

The Moderator stated that the motion would require a two-thirds vote in the affirmative for acceptance. The Moderator ordered a Teller count. Vote and count were taken and the Tellers reported 129 votes in the affirmative and 23 votes in the negative. The Moderator then declared that there being more than the required two-thirds vote in the affirmative the motion by Mr. Delory was

SO VOTED

ARTICLE 13. Business Zone extension on Storrs Avenue.

That the present business zone on the northerly side of Storrs Avenue be extended westerly approximately sixty (60) feet so that all of Plot No. 39 and all of Plot No. 38 on Assessors' Plan No. 2028, with the exception of a five foot strip on the westerly side of said Plot 38 parallel to the easterly

boundary line of Plot No. 37 on said Plan No. 2028, be changed from Residence B Zone to Business Zone.

Lengthy discussion ensued involving several Town Meeting Members and residents of Storrs Avenue.

Comes now the question on the motion.

The Moderator called for a hand vote. Hand vote was taken and the Moderator declared that it was clear there was not a two-thirds vote in the affirmative and the motion by Mr. Boynton was LOST.

ARTICLE 14. Business Zone extension on Granite Street.

That the Zoning By-Law and the Zoning Map dated May 2, 1940, as most previously amended, be further amended to provide that the present Business Zone on the Easterly side of Granite Street, north of new Route 128, be extended in a northerly direction on the easterly side of Granite Street to Rockdale Street thereby changing from Residential B Zone to Business Zone the land shown as Plots Nos. 9, 9A, 9B, 9C, 9D and 10 on Assessors' Plan No. 2057 and Plot No. 136 on Assessors' Plan No. 2058.

Mr. Magaldi spoke on the motion.

Comes now the question on the motion.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED

Upon motion duly made by Mr. Thomas Matthews, it was

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: To consider Article 16 at this time.

ARTICLE 16. Acquisition of land for water storage.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: To appropriate the sum of Thirty-five thousand dollars (\$35,000.00) for the construction of water storage, pumping and distribution facilities on or pertinent to a parcel of land known as Crowley's Gravel pit acquired by an order of taking dated September 17, 1963, and that to meet said appropriation the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, is authorized to issue Thirty-five thousand dollars (\$35,000.00) in bonds or notes of the town in accordance with the provisions of General Laws Chap. 44, Sec. 8, Paragraphs 4, 5 & 6 so that the whole loan shall be paid in not more than five (5) years from the date of issue of the first bond or note, or at such earlier time as the Treasurer or Selectmen may determine. \$ 35,000.00B

The Moderator stated that with the consent of the Town Meeting Article 15 would now be considered.

ARTICLE 15. Foreclosed Tax Title Properties to control of Water Department.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town remove from foreclosed Tax Title Properties available for sale under Article 4, Section 4 of the By-Laws, and to place the same under the exclusive control of the Water Department, the following parcels of land being Plots Nos. 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 9 and 10 on Assessors' Plan No. 1070.

ARTICLE 17. Chapter 90 Construction-1963.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: By and with the approval of the Finance Committee that there be raised and appropriated the sum of \$12,000.00 to be expended under the direction of the Highway Department for Chapter 90 Construction 1963, and that to meet said appropriation, \$8,773.48 be taken from the Highway Department unexpended appropriation balances as follows: New Equipment, 1963 \$426.30 - Aerial Spray, 1963 \$3,164.75 - New Construction 1959 \$4,335.73 - New Construction, 1962 \$846.70, and that \$3,226.52 be taken from available funds.

	\$	426.30C
		3,164.75D
		4,335.73E
		846.70F
		3,226.52A

ARTICLE 18. Construction of Animal Crematory.

That the sum of \$2,300.00 be raised and appropriated or transferred from available funds to construct a new building to house the new animal crematory voted at the 1963 annual Town Meeting.

	2,300.00A
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Discussion ensued involving Mr. Juster, Mr. Smith, Mr. Robert Frazier and Mr. Morton.

Comes now the question on the motion.

SO VOTED

THE MODERATOR: Before we adjourn the business of this October 29, 1963 Special Town Meeting, we pause momentarily to express our deep gratitude to one who is no longer with us.

MR. ROBERTS distinguished himself in many ways. We remember him especially for his tireless efforts as a civic leader. Among the many ways in which he served his fellow men was his election as a Town Meeting Member, Sewer Commissioner, Selectman for the Town of Braintree, and as a State Representative in the Third Norfolk District.

It is the sentiment of this meeting that we express the sincere gratitude of the Town of Braintree for the loyal, efficient and devoted years of service given our Town by ALBERT E. ROBERTS, by standing for a moment of silence in his memory.

Upon motion duly made by Mr. Delory, it was

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Special Town Meeting stand adjourned.

JURY LIST

NAME AND ADDRESS

Adams, Stanley T., 57 Wilkins Rd.
 Adler, Erwin G., 22 Clark St.
 Ahern, Albert C., 16 Warren Ave.
 Allen, William F., Jr., 28 Hickory Rd.
 Alinson, Arthur K., 164 Edgehill Rd.
 Ames, John B., 21 Kew Rd.
 Anagnos, George, 6 Beechwood Rd.
 Bachman, Anne B., 36 Talbot Rd.
 Baker, Daniel W., 76 West St.
 Baker, Walter M., 15 Peach St.
 Baker, William F., 434 Elm St.
 Banks, Martin Francis, 16 Evelyn Lane
 Barnes, Arthur B., 25 Drake St.
 Barrett, Francis J., 15 Carter Rd.
 Barron, Thomas F., 10 Hollis Ave.
 Bates, Marjorie T., 25 Cochato Rd.
 Battista, Claude, 1094 Liberty St.
 Beach, Harold F., 245 Grove St.
 Bekkenhuis, Elsie C., 37 Stedman Ave.
 Belbin, Gordon E., 26 Thayer Rd.
 Belyea, Harry Mansfield, 40 Mt. Vernon Ave.
 Bernabeo, Louis J., 28 Burton Rd.
 Bibo, Joseph E., 57 Spring St.
 Blanchard, Norman H. 590 Liberty St.
 Blevins, Eugene O., 32 Nichols Rd.
 Callaghan, William J., 83 Spring St.
 Campbell, Donald M., 1359 Washington St.
 Cancellieri, R. George, 49 Paul St.
 Carey, Francis J., Jr., 37 Addison St.
 Carloni, Achille G., 25 Bradley Rd.
 Carlozzi, Constanzo V., 15 Fairview Ave.
 Carlson, C. Arnold E., 19 Massachusetts Ave.
 Carten, Ernest, 123 Elmlawn Rd.

NAME AND ADDRESS

Anderson, Anton W., 362 Shaw St.
 Anderson, Howard F., 29 Watson St.
 Anderson, Kenneth R., 15 Putnam Ave.
 Anusewicz, John S., 153 Middle St.
 Archibald, Thomas C., 79 Brierwood Rd.
 Ashton, L. Ambrose, 601 Washington St.
 Bonang, Robert C., Jr., 65 Howie Rd.
 Bonvie, David N., 33 Hill View Rd.
 Borax, Christine W., 11 Maple St.
 Boyle, James F., 12 Paul St.
 Brandt, Philip F., 21 Maple St.
 Bransfield, Timothy E., 73 Armstrong Circle
 Bricknell, Russell C., 72 Celia Rd.
 Bridgham, Robert C., 275 Pearl St.
 Brock, Walter M., 34 Weston Ave.
 Brow, George F., 20 Oak Street, East
 Brown, Richard J., 44 Calvin St.
 Bryant, Gordon W., 175 West St.
 Buckley, Charles F., 648 Commercial St.
 Budd, William I. H., 23 Talbot Road
 Bulger, Robert G., 102 Edgemont Rd.
 Bullen, Richard C., 15 Devon Rd.
 Burlone, Francis C., 79 Court Rd.
 Bushman, Evelyn C., 400 North St.
 Castleman, Percy N., 81 Blanchard Blvd.
 Cedarstrom, Curtis O., 34 Howie Rd.
 Celia, William O., 32 Coolidge Ave.
 Chadwick, George F., 167 Richard Rd.
 Champagne, Roger A., 489 Pearl St.
 Clark, Herbert A., 19 Sycamore Rd.
 Cleland, James B., 8 Blake Rd.
 Cole, John H., 178 Shaw St.

NAME AND ADDRESS

Collins, James, 10 May Ave.
 Collins, Harry T., 49 Mt. Vernon St.
 Coneys, John P., Jr., 15 Capen Rd.
 Congdon, John N., 192 Hollingsworth Ave.
 Cook, John H., 17 Davis Rd.
 Corbett, Edward F., 45 Cleveland Ave.

 Daley, Henry O., 136 Cleveland Ave.
 Daley, Timothy A., 11 Kew Rd.
 DeAngelis, Joseph H., 21 Amherst Rd.
 Delaney, John W., 39 Hobart Ave.
 Delaney, Thomas A., 520 Elm St.
 DelPico, Arman J., 13 Fairview Ave.
 Diemer, John B., 65 Academy St.
 DiTullio, Anthony, 12 Devon Rd.

 Eadie, Clifton H., 26 Park Ave.
 Eisenhauer, James R., 26 Georganna St.

 Falardeau, Russell E., 31 Crawford Rd.
 Farren, Daniel H., 218 Common St.
 Ferrante, Silvio, 286 Hayward St.
 Ferracane, Louis J., 27 Davis Rd.
 Flaherty, Thomas J., 3 Cain Ave.

 Gale, Charles E., 62 Park Ave.
 Galvin, William E., 75 Cotton Ave.
 Gauthier, Robert E., 54 Lea Haven Terr.
 Giachetti, Joseph P., 96 Lawnview Drive
 Gibbons, Philip F., 15 Deigan Ave.
 Goldstein, George A., 52 Marjorie Rd.
 Goode, Charles F., 75 Livoli Ave.
 Goodstray, Robert J., 49 Pleasant St.

 Habeeb, Isabelle H., 22 Nickerson Rd.
 Haffner, Fred G., 45 Town St.
 Hanlon, Harry P., 1035 Washington St.

NAME AND ADDRESS

Corcoran, Daniel F.
 Coyer, Edmund, 175 Franklin St.
 Cresswell, Norman U., 65 Bradley Rd.
 Crites, Castle C., 87 Jefferson St.
 Crosby, George B., 25 Woodedged Ave.
 Cruckshank, Charles A., 14 Huntley Rd.

 Donahoe, Frederick L., 55 Howie Rd.
 Donohue, John M., 53 Milton Rd.
 Donohue, John F., Jr., 45 Water St.
 Downes, Alice Frances, 16 Strathmore Circle
 Doyle, Albert A., 15 Oak Hill Rd.
 Duggan, Joseph G., 142 Jefferson St.
 Dymsha, Henry A., 146 Jefferson St.

 Elliott, John, 29 Marshall St.
 Everett, Henry Austin, 20 Grove St.

 Flower, Frank J., 159 River St.
 Fontaine, Arthur L., 174 Grove St.
 Fraser, Clarence B., 14 Harding Ave.
 Fraser, James W., 33 Regis Rd.
 French, B. Warren, 440 West St.

 Gordon, Joseph F., 90 Arbutus Ave.
 Gould, Kenneth N., 157 Storrs Ave.
 Gozzo, Santo J., 45 Court Rd.
 Grady, Charles M., 54 Arbutus Ave.
 Graham, Ralph X., 155 Peach St.
 Greenwood, Winslow, 182 Franklin St.
 Griffin, Francis M., 88 Hawthorn Rd.

 Hansen, Paul F., 397 Grove St.
 Harrington, Michael B., 21 Livoli Ave.
 Harris, Richard E., 1318 Liberty St.

NAME AND ADDRESS

Hazard, Henry N., 103 Hobard Ave.
Hedman, A. Evelyn, 247 River St.
Hendrie, Robert E., 91 Walnut St.

Iamele, Anthony B., 276 Franklin St.

Jackson, Arthur G., 44 B. V. French St.
Jago, Alfred F., 64 Worthington Circle
Jardin, Alfred P., 50 Shepard Rd.
Jerrick, Frank J., 7 Sheraton Ave.
Johnson, Carl W. R., 112 Jefferson St.

Kamison, Abraham, 19 Fallon Circle
Karis, Christopher, 62 Celia Rd.
Keen, Frank D., 28 Wampatuck Rd.
Keith, Bertram G., Jr., 85 Walnut Ave.
Kelley, John A., 756 Granite St.

Lappen, Edwin N., 17 Armstrong Circle
Lindskog, Richard G., 5A Pleasant St.
Listmann, Charles Herbert, 50 Park Ave.
Longfellow, Ralph G., 450 Grove St.

MacAndrew, Robert P., 39 Hoover Ave.
Mack, Robert L., 3 Woodedge Circle
MacLeod, Angus D., 34 Dean St.
Magee, Charles H., 38 Lowell St.
Mahar, John W., 55 Cleveland Ave.
Malone, Joseph P., 48 Acorn Circle
Major, David H., 156 Elmlawn Rd.
Mann, Charles W., 18 Faulkner Place
Manning, Leo F., Jr., 14 Merritt Ave.
Marum, James J., Jr., 16 Old Coach Rd.
Mason, David P., 92 Plymouth Ave.
Mattie, James F., 660 Commercial St.
Maxwell, William E., 140 Holmes St.
McCarthy, Paul F., 31 Burroughs Rd.

NAME AND ADDRESS

Hinckley, Lawrence B., 3 Milton Rd.
Hutchings, Calvin L., 56 Bestick Rd.

Inglis, William F., 19 Foster Rd.

Johnson, E. Goodwin, 105 Prospect St., No.
Johnson, Philip O., 33 Sherbrooke Ave.
Jones, Thomas H., 107 Plain St.
Julian, Frank T., 24 Willow St.
Juster, Joseph H., 12 Veranda Rd.

Kelley, Walter J., 35 Majorie Rd.
Kemp, Malcolm D., 97 Parkside Ave.
Kilbrith, Harold E., 78 Trefton Drive
Kulas, Joseph P., 20 Lawson Lane

Lorenz, Charles D., 69 Cranmore Rd.
Lovett, Robert V., 12 Court Rd.
Low, William H., 59 Cleveland Ave.

McDonough, John J., 41 Spring St.
McDonough, Martin J., 20 Cain Ave.
McDonough, Michael S., 7 Spencer St.
McIntosh, Franklin E., 52 Elmwood Ave.
McKay, Donald R., 138 Brewster Ave.
McKenna, George R., 127-1/2 Plain St.
McLelland, Edmond J., 3 Bower Rd.
McLeod, Cannell J., 66 Sheppard Ave.
McNally, Edward C., 47 Brierwood Rd.
McNutt, Joseph D., 15 Smith St.
McPhee, F. Elmer, 89 Hobart St.
McSorley, John S., 12 Lawnview Drive
McTigue, Hugh J., 48 Fallon Circle
Melrose, David, 79 Town St.

NAME AND ADDRESS

Melsky, Theodore S., 39 Winter St.
 Miller, Jeanette S., 25 Holmes St.
 Mitchell, William E., 16 Tenney Rd.
 Mollins, Frank Leslie, 243 Common St.
 Moore, Charles F., 1520 Liberty St.

Neagle, Philip A., 46 Selwyn Rd.
 Needham, Patricia A., 62 Perch St.
 Nelligan, John William, 27 Oakland St.
 Nelson, Elizabeth M., 33 Nelson St.
 Nelson, Sven S., 426 Elm St.

O'Brien, George M., 49 Milton Rd.
 O'Connell, John F. H.
 O'Brien, John L., 110 Liberty St.
 O'Leary, Jeremiah A., Jr., 86 Linda Rd.
 O'Neil, John J., 13 Coolidge Ave.

Pash, Walter, 115 Cain Ave.
 Peltier, J. Andrew, 28 Blanchard Blvd.
 Phelan, John J., 45 Pleasant View Ave.

Quirke, Jeremiah F., 29 Franklin St.

Reader, Ralph B., 43 Pleasant View Ave.
 Rigo, Joseph A., 117 Jefferson St.
 Riley, Joseph Lawrence, 51 West St.
 Ring, Karl H., 47 Stevens Ave.
 Riordan, John P., 72 Plymouth Ave.
 Rizzo, William J., 74 Wildwood Ave.
 Roach, John F., 50 Trefton Drive
 Roberts, Theron M., 144 Liberty St.
 Roche, George P., 43 Woodedge Ave.

Sachetti, Leo J., 27 Hillside Rd.
 Salem, Richard C., 33 Livoli Ave.
 Schatzel, William M., 65 Standish Ave.

NAME AND ADDRESS

Mulcahy, Richard V., 1349 Liberty St.
 Mulligan, Joseph E., 253 Walnut St.
 Murch, Russell S., 194 Commercial St.
 Murray, Leo C., 31 Hunt Ave.
 Myrbeck, Edward R., 15 Primrose St.

Nelson, William F., 39 Nicholas Rd.
 Niemi, Leo, 171 Middle St.
 Nordstrom, Lillian, 47 Talbot Rd.
 Nott, Warren B., Jr., 62 Woodside Ave.

Ord, Albert, 47 Faxon St.
 Orinofsky, Victor M., 65 Town St.
 O'Sullivan, Paul F., 40 Robinson Ave.
 Otis, John P., 19 Grove St.

Peirce, Louis D., 382 Middle St.
 Pinkham, Charles R., 20 Wyman Rd.
 Potter, William H., 25 Elm Knoll Rd.

Rogers, Alfred H., 104 Brookside Rd.
 Rooney, Joseph K., 50 Cleveland Ave.
 Ross, Albert E., 49 Wilmarth Rd.
 Ross, Arthur P., 1307 Washington St.
 Rouleau, Edward A., 49 Hobart Terrace
 Rowe, William, 18 Avon Place
 Rudin, Walter J., 26 Sherman Rd.
 Russo, John S., 17 West St.

Schnabel, Paul, 1852 Washington St.
 Shaw, Norman C., 33 Argyle Rd.
 Shea, Dennis F., 12 Woodedge Circle

NAME AND ADDRESS

Shine, Robert C., 3 Hoover Ave.
 Shuster, J. Davis, 141 West St.
 Smith, Gardiner E., 105 Cain Ave.
 Smith, William, 207 Glenrose Ave.
 Sniffin, Harold T., 87 Middle St.
 Snyder, William M., 18 West St.
 Stacey, Kenneth H., 285 Shaw St.
 St. Andre, Edward A., 33 Bower Rd.
 Stadelmann, Thomas J., 86 Trefton Drive

Talanian, Nathan C., 42 Birch St.
 Thrower, John, 41 Hillside Rd.
 Tibbetts, Walter I., Jr., 468 West St.

Uzzell, Edwin, 14 Cochato St.

Vaulding, Charles W., 126 Edgehill Rd.
 Vella, Michael J., 3 Jefferson St.

Wallace, Alton J., 19 Merritt Ave.
 Wallace, William R., 441 Union St.
 Warner, Ida W., 28 Marjorie Rd.
 Warner, Leo R., 28 Marjorie Rd.
 Watkins, Arthur, 47 Pleasant View Ave.
 West, Charles G., 21 Putnam Ave.
 White, Elizabeth, 1070 Liberty St.

Young, John W., 36 Lawnview Dr.

Zabroski, Frank, 42 Bradford Rd.
 Zapasnik, Edmund J., 19 Hamilton St.

NAME AND ADDRESS

Steele, Russell J., 59 Crawford Rd.
 Stevenson, Stewart A., 163 River St.
 Stone, Robert J., 47 Francine Rd.
 Stonkus, Albert P., 5 Waldron Rd.
 Streadwick, Joseph, 1393 Washington St.
 Sullivan, Dennis J., 11 Wyman Rd.
 Sullivan, William F., 35 Vine St.
 Sullivan, William F., 78 Walnut Ave.

Tibbs, Charles R., 3 Bellevue Ave.
 Tressler, Raymond R., 201 Richard Rd.
 Trillcott, Kenneth R., 71 Congress St.

Viglione, Carmine A., 344 Shaw St.
 Vissa, Gino V., 854 Liberty St.

White, Frank C., 61 Jersey Ave.
 Wick, Robert T., 15 South St.
 Wilson, Albert G., Jr., 86 Cedar St.
 Wilson, Edward B., 70 Middle St.
 Wooters, Joseph S., 157 Parkside Ave.
 Wuest, Frank R., 503 Granite St.
 Wybieracki, Alvin A., 23 Anderson Rd.

Young, Walter F., 110 Park St.

Zingarelli, Frank L., 11 Marshfield Rd.

REPORT OF SOUTH SHORE MOSQUITO CONTROL PROJECT

November 25, 1963

To the Citizens of the Town of Braintree:

Submitted herewith is the report of the South Shore Mosquito Control Project's activities in the Town of Braintree for the year ending October 31, 1963.

The Town of Braintree appropriated \$5600 for mosquito control in 1963. This money was used for mosquito control in the Town of Braintree by the South Shore Mosquito Control Project, a cooperative effort embracing the City of Quincy and the Towns of Braintree, Cohasset, Duxbury, Hingham, Hull, Marshfield, Norwell, Scituate and Weymouth. The project is a year round operation based on a three-phase plan for the reduction of mosquitoes.

PERMANENT CONTROL

A method whereby, with the use of trenching equipment and hand labor, many shallow stagnant water areas are removed. This reduces the number of sites capable of breeding mosquitoes.

PREVENTIVE CONTROL

The preventing of the mosquito reaching its flying stage, by the use of small amounts of insecticide applied to the mosquito breeding sites (shallow, stagnant water) enabling us to prevent many mosquito larva and pupa from emerging to the adult biting insect. By larvaciding we can concentrate the attack on mosquitoes in their most vulnerable stage of life.

ADULT CONTROL

In spite of other control methods, there are some species of mosquitoes that are usually controlled by adult spraying - the culex (or house mosquito) that may breed in almost any container that will hold water over a few days period, making control over breeding sites impossible. By using mist sprayers and thermal foggers we are able to reduce the droplet size so small amounts of insecticide can be applied over a large area, enough to get a mosquito kill and yet keep the insecticide residue to a minimum.

With this as a basic plan, the following was done in the Town of Braintree last year. 13,550 feet of existing drainage were cleared of their blockages to reduce mosquito breeding sites.

1400 gallons of insecticide were applied by aircraft to treat 1400 acres for the spring brood of aedes mosquitoes that appear in early summer. 225 pounds of insecticidal dust were applied to 110 acres by ground equipment to smaller wet areas.

745 gallons of insecticide were applied to 745 acres for larval and pupal control. 350 gallons of insecticide were applied by mist blower to 350 acres for adult as well as larval control. 3225 catchbasins found to be breeding mosquitoes were sprayed.

The insecticides used by the South Shore Mosquito Control Project are:

D.D.T., both dust and liquid

Dieldrin, both liquid and granules (dump areas)

Malathion (fog and spray)

DiBrom #14 (fog)

Baytex 29496 (catchbasins)

All applications are made not exceeding dosage recommended on registered labels for the control of mosquitoes.

The Project wishes to acknowledge the help received from officials and departments of the Town and sincerely hopes that the benefits derived by these departments as a result of this cooperation are as great as those derived by the Project.

Respectfully submitted,

SIMON J. VENEAU
Superintendent

REPORT OF THE TREE WARDEN

Honorable Board of Selectmen
Town Hall
So. Braintree, Mass.

Gentlemen:

I respectfully submit the following report as Tree Warden for the year ending Dec. 31, 1963.

All work approved in the 1963 budget for General care and Tree removal has been completed.

300 new Trees were planted throughout the Town.

The Tree bank supplied 100 new trees this year for street planting. 100 other trees were replanted in the Tree bank. The Tree bank now has a population of 1000 young Trees for future planting.

I hope to continue the Tree planting program as there is still a great need for Trees in the new developments and older sections of the Town.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN F. LEETCH
Tree Warden

REPORT OF
THE BRAINTREE CONSERVATION COMMISSION

January 15, 1964

Board of Selectmen
Braintree
Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

The Braintree Conservation Commission was approved by the 1963 March Town Meeting, established by the Selectmen in May 1963 and held its first meeting on May 23, 1963.

The Commission's purpose is to serve the Town and to assist regional, state and federal agencies in conservation matters. The Commission is not involved in the present operation of the Town of Braintree, but concentrates its efforts on the protection of our natural resources for the use of future generations. The Commission convened approximately every two weeks and met with representatives from the Massachusetts Department of Natural Resources, other Braintree Boards and Commissions, representatives of Quincy, Holbrook, Randolph, and Weymouth.

We feel that the most urgent need is to preserve open space areas in the Braintree Dam, Broad Meadows, Pond Meadows, Eatons Pond, and Cranberry Pond areas. These open space areas were selected because of flooding protection, water supply, recreation, and the possibility of a green belt area.

Although we were unsuccessful in obtaining the ownership of the Braintree Dam area from the City of Quincy, this matter still is of paramount importance, and has top priority.

We discussed with the Weymouth officials the flooding of the Weymouth Landing area because of Smelt Brook. We talked with officials in Holbrook and Randolph about establishing a green belt area to separate the towns.

Unfortunately, because of the time factor, the Conservation Commission was unable to present Articles to the Town Meeting. However, we are hopeful of our progress because many people are now thinking seriously about the conservation of our natural resources and its vital importance.

The Commission is grateful to the Braintree officials and citizens and the Braintree Garden Club who cooperated with us during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

John J. Cusack, Chairman
Priscilla H. Daiute, Secretary
Harry C. Lake
Howard J. Rose
Ralph M. Soule

REPORT OF THE CEMETERIES

Honorable Board of Selectmen
Town Hall
So. Braintree, Mass.

Gentlemen:

I respectfully submit the following report as Superintendent of Cemeteries for the year ending December 31, 1963.

Town cemeteries were cared for and maintained throughout the year.

There were ten interments at Plain St. Cemetery, three at Pond St. Cemetery and two at First Parish Cemetery.

New flag poles were installed at Plain Street, and First Parish Cemeteries.

The Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds were increased considerably, and we hope to continue adding to these funds in the future.

Favorable comments were received on the appearance of the cemeteries on Memorial Day from Veterans' organizations.

I wish to thank the Board of Selectmen and the Cemetery Committee for their co-operation.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN F. LEETCH
Superintendent

HARBORMASTER'S REPORT FOR 1963

January 6, 1964

Office of Selectmen
Town Hall
So. Braintree, Mass.

Gentlemen:

All of the accessible mooring space in the Monatiquote River was used to good advantage, there is some mooring room available but it is between Metropolitan Yacht Club and Cities Service Oil docks on the Braintree side of the Channel.

The use of mooring logs has greatly helped to make more space. There is one place where the Smelt Brook runs into the channel that is not quite passible from 1 hour before low tide to one hour past.

There was a small amount of damage caused by vandals which occurs each year.

Very truly yours,

EARL F. CONNORS
Harbormaster

REPORT OF THE PLANNING BOARD FOR 1963

Joseph M. Magaldi, Chairman

Edward J. Rose

Mitchell W. Gawlowicz, Clerk

William F. Baker

Frederick J. Klay

Chester T. Langtry, Town Engineer - Member Ex-Officio

The year 1963 was another banner year for our Town, with respect to its growth in residential, business and industrial expansion. Due to previous recommendations of this Board and Town Meeting action, there was no imbalance in this expansion. Each area of activity had "elbow room" for additional growth.

In accordance with the provisions of the Mass. General Laws, the Planning Board held public hearings on all articles proposing changes in the Zoning By-Law submitted for consideration at the 1963 Annual Town Meeting and at the October 1963 Special Town Meeting. Public hearings, duly advertised, were held on all development plans submitted to the Board for action. In addition to the public hearings the Board held regular monthly meetings as well as many special meetings for the convenience of the Taxpayers and the Town.

The Board, thru its Representatives on the Parks and Playgrounds Commission, the Industrial and Business Development Commission, and joint meetings with the Conservation Commission, the School Committee, the School Site Committee and other groups, has been able to keep all concerned up to date on various zoning and planning changes.

Our Master Plan, which has been in the process of preparation for the past two year, should be completed and distributed by the time this report reaches you. The Chairman of our Board is the Town's Representative on the new Metropolitan Area Planning Council which will make it possible for the Board and the Town to be kept abreast on any new Metropolitan Area Planning Advances.

In addition to the Master Plan Study, the Board has included in its program a Soils Study Report. The Norfolk County branch of the U. S. Soils Conservation Services are doing the field work and technical phase of the study and our Consultant will prepare the final report and analysis of the Soils Study which, in other communities has proven very valuable when used in conjunction with a comprehensive planning program.

Repeating the words of the Supreme Court of the State of Pennsylvania we would like to say that no comprehensive plan is perfect. It cannot possibly envisage all problems which will face the community in the future. There must be a constant review of the plan by all the agencies involved. A plan cannot remain static and at the same time realistic. The forces of growth, economic condition, character and distribution of population and the techniques of planning are constantly in motion. A comprehensive plan must be subject to reasonable changes from time to time as conditions in the town change. It is the intention of this Board to keep a constant vigil on the plan and changes which may be made necessary as the future unfolds.

On the ballot at the March election this year, will appear a referendum question asking whether or not the so-called "Tenement House Act" should be repealed. Should repeal of the act be voted, this Board has prepared and submitted several articles which will afford the Town ample protection. Repeal of the Act will not in itself permit any High Rise Apartments. The only way this can be accomplished is by amendments to the Zoning By-Law and

the Building Code and these we have prepared for consideration should they be required.

In cooperation with the Board of Selectmen, this Board has taken necessary action to "up-date" the 1956 report by Metcalf and Eddy and the 1958 report of the U. S. Soils Conservation Service covering the Flood Plain areas of the Pond Meadows along the banks of the Monatiquot River to Weymouth Landing.

The Board wishes to express its sincere appreciation to all who have co-operated in carrying on our work for Braintree to the Best of Our Ability.

Respectfully submitted,

THE BRAINTREE PLANNING BOARD

REPORT OF THE TOWN TREASURER
THELMA C. HEDLUND, TOWN TREASURER

in account with

THE TOWN OF BRAINTREE

Cash Book Balance, January 1, 1963	\$ 2,446,506.32
Receipts from all sources, 1963	<u>14,574,229.37</u>
	\$17,020,735.69
 Paid on Selectmen's Warrants, 1963	 \$14,631,072.61
Cash Book Balance, December 31, 1963	<u>2,389,663.08</u>
	\$17,020,735.69

The Cash Book Balance is made up of the following items:

General Town Account balance	\$1,767,704.66
Water Department balance	58,172.44
Electric Light Department balance	289,089.00
Electric Light Depreciation Fund	<u>274,696.98</u>
	\$2,389,663.08

Details of receipts and expenditures are shown in the Accountant's report.

Investment of funds has earned the following interest:

Previously reported (1956-1963)	\$ 160,859.68
Earned in 1963	<u>7,986.46</u>
Total	\$ 168,846.14

OUTSTANDING FUNDED DEBT, DECEMBER 31, 1963

Sewer Loan 2.10% due 1964	\$ 5,000.00
Sewer Loan 2.80% due 1964-1968	180,000.00
Sewer Loan 3-1/2% due 1964-1970	70,000.00
Sewer Loan 2.70% due 1964-1972	305,000.00
Sewer Loan 2-1/2% due 1964-1973	130,000.00
Sewer Loan 3.70% due 1964-1974	165,000.00
Sewer Loan 3-1/4% due 1964-1981	220,000.00
Sewer Loan 3% due 1964-1983	750,000.00
Water Bonds 2.80% due 1964-1968	35,000.00
Water Standpipe Bonds 2.10% due 1964-1969	18,000.00
Water Mains & Standpipe Bonds 2-1/2% due 1964-1973	195,000.00
Water Filtration Plant Addition Bonds 3.20% due 1964-1977	140,000.00
High School Addition Bonds 2-1/4% due 1964-1968	200,000.00
High School Addition Bonds 3.30% due 1964-1970	105,000.00
Elementary School Addition Bonds 3.20% due 1964-1967	60,000.00
Elementary School Bonds 1.75% due 1964-1970	215,000.00
Elementary School Bonds 1.90% due 1964-1972	585,000.00
Elementary School Bonds 2.75% due 1964-1972	290,000.00
Elementary School Bonds 2.80% due 1964-1973	450,000.00
Elementary School Bonds 2.10% due 1964-1974	355,000.00
Elementary School Bonds 2.10% due 1964-1974	88,000.00
Elementary School Bonds 2.40% due 1964-1976	305,000.00

South Junior High School Bonds 2.10% due 1964-1975	\$ 670,000.00
East Junior High School Bonds 3.50% due 1964-1980	1,995,000.00
Electric Light Bonds 1.75% due 1964-1972	630,000.00
Electric Light Bonds 2.80% due 1964-1978	1,125,000.00
Electric Light Bonds 3.10% due 1964-1979	2,000,000.00
Library Bonds 2.10% due 1964-1972	90,000.00
Total Outstanding Debt, December 31, 1963	<u>\$11,336,000.00</u>

TAX TITLES

Tax Titles Held by Town, January 1, 1963	\$33,528.73
1963 Takings	3,306.97
1963 Subsequent Taxes added to Tax Titles	<u>8,358.38</u>
Total	\$45,194.08

Tax Titles Redeemed in 1963	\$20,810.91
Tax Titles Disclaimed in 1963	161.66
Tax Titles Foreclosed in 1963	192.50
Tax Titles Held December 31, 1963	<u>24,029.01</u>
Total	\$45,194.08

Book Value of Tax Possessions held by the Town December 31, 1963	\$30,091.64
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TRUST FUND TRANSACTIONS - 1963

	Principal of Fund Dec. 31, 1963	Balance of Income Jan. 1, 1963	Income Receipts 1963	Payments from Income 1963	Payments of Income Dec. 31, 1963
Stabilization Fund	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 486.88	\$ 60.04	----	\$ 546.92
Henry H. Musick Tr.*	----	159.82	16.54	\$ 176.36	----
Chas. Edw. French Tr.	2,419.50	789.70	129.64	----	919.34
N. H. Hunt Tr.	20,575.71	---	873.00	873.00	----
Hannah R. Hollis Tr.	100.00	22.17	4.92	----	27.09
Geo. W. Kelley Tr.	200.00	83.15	11.42	----	94.57
Joseph S. Miller Tr.*	---	81.31	8.26	89.57	----
Julia A. Minchin Tr.*	---	65.73	6.68	72.41	----
Anna M. Penniman Tr.	500.00	26.67	20.90	18.00	29.57
Avis A. Thayer Tr.	500.00	181.98	27.52	----	209.50
Chas. Thayer Tr.	20,502.37	1,982.16	948.74	100.00	2,830.90
Chas. C. Hill Tr.*	---	65.74	6.68	72.42	----
Colbert School Tr.	---	2,088.40	84.36	----	2,172.76
Colbert Library Tr.	40,790.37	1,795.21	1,779.75	1,795.21	1,779.75
Minerva P. Martin Tr.*	---	111.42	16.60	128.02	----
Mary F. White Tr.	10,752.15	3,151.50	584.08	3,440.65	294.93
Pond St. Cemetery Fund*	---	1,856.12	896.22	2,752.34	----
Cemeteries Perpetual Care Fund	22,812.61	11.37	3,338.39	----	3,349.76

Chester W. & Margaret A. Daily Scholarship Fund	\$**13,812.50	---	\$ 180.60	----	\$ 180.60
Lucia E. Hollis Tr.	10,079.81	---	359.81	----	359.81
N. E. Hollis Tr.	100,676.44	\$8,074.97	4,101.78	\$8,388.07	3,788.68
A. S. & N. E. Hollis School Fund	**1,168,758.69	48,676.48	51,731.22	48,989.51	51,418.19

*These six funds transferred to Cemeteries Perpetual Care Fund November 8, 1963 in accordance with Supreme Court Decree entered February 13, 1963

**Market value of securities December 20, 1963

CONTRIBUTORY RETIREMENT SYSTEM

TREASURER'S REPORT FOR THE YEAR 1963

Under the General Laws the Town Treasurer is the Treasurer-Custodian of all funds and securities of the Contributory Retirement System.

Cash Balance, January 1, 1963	\$ 21,058.22
Cash Receipts for 1963	<u>375,997.85</u>
	\$397,056.07
Payments Made on vouchers of the Retirement Board	\$373,990.08
Cash Balance, December 31, 1963	<u>23,065.99</u>
	\$397,056.07

SECURITIES HELD - December 31, 1963:

\$ 5,000. Aluminum Company of America	3%	Due 1979
15,000. American Telephone and Telegraph Company	2 3/4%	1980
4,000. American Telephone and Telegraph Company	4 3/8%	1985
30,000. Appalachian Power Company	4 3/8%	1992
5,000. Boston Edison Company	2 3/4%	1980
3,000. Central Maine Power Company	2 3/4%	1976
3,000. Central Maine Power Company	3 1/2%	1970
7,000. Central Illinois Public Service Company	3 3/8%	1971
5,000. Central Illinois Public Service Company	4 3/4%	1989
5,000. Central Vermont Public Service Corporation	3 3/8%	1982
10,000. Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad Equipment Trust	3 1/2%	1968
5,000. Cincinnati Gas and Electric Company	4 1/8%	1987
10,000. Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company	4 3/8%	1994
5,000. Commonwealth Edison Company	4 1/4%	1987
5,000. Commonwealth Edison Company	3 1/4%	1982
5,000. Commonwealth Edison Company	3 3/4%	1988
5,000. Consolidated Edison Company of New York	2 5/8%	1977
5,000. Dayton Power and Light Company	3 1/4%	1982
5,000. Detroit Edison Company	2 3/4%	1985
20,000. El Paso Electric Company	4 5/8%	1992
10,000. Fall River Electric Light Company	3 3/4%	1983
5,000. General Motors Corporation	3 1/4%	1979
10,000. General Telephone Company of California	4 1/2%	1986
3,000. Georgia Power Company	3 3/8%	1982
4,000. Illinois Bell Telephone Company	3 1/8%	1984
4,000. Illinois Bell Telephone Company	3%	1978
10,000. Illinois Bell Telephone Company	4 3/8%	1994

\$10,000. Indiana and Michigan Electric Company	4 3/4%	1988
5,000. Indianapolis Power and Light Company	2 7/8%	1979
20,000. International Bank for Reconstruction and Development	3 1/2%	1969
10,000. Louisiana Power and Light Company	3 1/8%	1978
10,000. Louisville and Nashville Railroad Equipment Trust	3 3/8%	1966
7,000. Massachusetts Electric Company	4 3/8%	1992
10,000. Michigan Bell Telephone Company	4 5/8%	1996
5,000. Montana Power Company	2 7/8%	1975
17,000. Mountain States Telephone and Telegraph Company	4 3/8%	1988
3,000. Mountain States Telephone and Telegraph Company	3 1/8%	1978
3,000. Narragansett Electric Company	3%	1978
2,000. New England Power Company	2 3/4%	1979
5,000. New England Power Company	4%	1988
4,000. New England Telephone and Telegraph Company	3%	1974
5,000. New England Telephone and Telegraph Company	3 1/4%	1991
6,000. New England Telephone and Telegraph Company	4%	1993
6,000. New Jersey Bell Telephone Company	3 1/8%	1988
4,000. New Jersey Power and Light Company	2 7/8%	1979
6,000. New Jersey Power and Light Company	4 7/8%	1990
5,000. New York Telephone Company	2 3/4%	1982
7,000. New York Telephone Company	3 3/8%	1996
4,000. Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation	2 3/4%	1980
10,000. Norfolk and Western Railway Equipment Trust	4 1/8%	1973
10,000. Northern Pacific Railroad Equipment Trust	3 5/8%	1968
5,000. North Shore Gas Company	4%	1975
5,000. Ohio Power Company	3 3/8%	1985
2,000. Ohio Power Company	3 3/8%	1981
5,000. Ohio Power Company	3%	1971
5,000. Ohio Power Company	4 5/8%	1989
6,000. Pacific Gas and Electric Company	2 7/8%	1980
5,000. Pacific Gas and Electric Company	3%	1971
8,000. Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company	3 1/8%	1983
16,000. Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company	3 1/4%	1979
1,000. Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company	3 5/8%	1991
2,000. Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company	4 3/8%	1988
5,000. Pennsylvania Electric Company	3 3/8%	1972
4,000. Philadelphia Electric Company	2 7/8%	1978
4,000. Philadelphia Electric Company	4 5/8%	1987
10,000. Public Service Company of New Hampshire	3 1/4%	1973
5,000. San Diego Gas and Electric Company	3%	1978
10,000. Socony Mobil Oil Company	4 1/4%	1993
8,000. Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company	4%	1983
5,000. Southern California Edison Company	2 7/8%	1976
11,000. Southern California Edison Company	3 5/8%	1981
2,000. Southwestern Bell Telephone Company	2 3/4%	1985
28,000. Southwestern Bell Telephone Company	4 1/2%	1997
30,000. Twelve Federal Land Banks Farm Credit Association	4 1/8%	1978
10,000. Union Electric Company	3 3/4%	1986
10,000. Union Electric Company	4 3/4%	1991
5,000. United States Savings Bonds	3 1/4%	1968
25,000. United States Treasury Bonds	3 5/8%	1967
15,000. United States Treasury Bonds	4%	1969
10,000. United States Treasury Bonds	4%	1972
58,000. United States Treasury Bonds	3 1/4%	1983
50,000. United States Treasury Bonds	4 1/4%	1985
10,000. United States Treasury Bonds	3 1/2%	1990
30,000. United States Treasury Bonds	3%	1995

\$10,000. United States Steel Corporation	4 1/2%	1986
25,000. Virginia Electric and Power Company	4 1/2%	1987
2,000. Westchester Lighting Company	3 1/2%	1967
5,000. West Penn Power Company	2 7/8%	1979
25,000. Worcester County Electric Company	3 1/4%	1981

50 shares Chase Manhattan Bank, New York
 360 shares First National Bank of Boston
 102 shares First National City Bank of New York
 107 shares Manufacturers Hanover Trust Company, New York
 200 shares National Shawmut Bank of Boston
 170 shares State Street Bank and Trust Company, Boston
 60 paid-up shares Braintree Cooperative Bank
 40 paid-up shares Holbrook Cooperative Bank
 10 paid-up shares Home Cooperative Bank
 5 paid-up shares Lawrence Cooperative Bank
 20 paid-up shares Lincoln Cooperative Bank
 25 paid-up shares Marblehead Cooperative Bank
 40 paid-up shares Mattapan Cooperative Bank
 25 paid-up shares Melrose Cooperative Bank
 40 paid-up shares Middleborough Cooperative Bank
 10 paid-up shares Orange Cooperative Bank
 40 paid-up shares Pittsfield Cooperative Bank
 50 paid-up shares Quincy Cooperative Bank
 30 paid-up shares Randolph Cooperative Bank
 55 paid-up shares Sandwich Cooperative Bank
 10 paid-up shares Shirley Cooperative Bank
 25 paid-up shares South Shore Cooperative Bank
 25 paid-up shares Stoughton Cooperative Bank
 25 paid-up shares Ware Cooperative Bank

\$15,000 deposit Abington Savings Bank
 10,000 deposit Boston Five Cents Savings Bank
 15,000 deposit Braintree Savings Bank
 15,000 deposit Charlestown Savings Bank
 20,000 deposit Home Savings Bank
 10,000 deposit Mechanics Savings Bank
 15,000 deposit Palmer Savings Bank
 20,000 deposit Provident Institution for Savings
 5,000 deposit Randolph Savings Bank
 15,000 deposit South Weymouth Savings Bank
 10,000 deposit Suffolk Savings Bank for Seamen and Others
 10,000 deposit Ware Savings Bank
 5,000 deposit Weymouth Savings Bank
 1,000 deposit Second Federal Savings and Loan Association of Boston
 1,000 deposit Suffolk First Federal Savings and Loan Association of Boston

Respectfully submitted,

THELMA C. HEDLUND
 Town Treasurer

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF TRUST FUNDS

Robert P. Gray, Chairman

Arthur L. Whitten, Vice Chairman

Joseph F. Connolly, Secretary

Action of the Board of Commissioners of Trust Funds is governed by the following two sections of Chapter 41 of the General Laws:

SECTION 46. - The town treasurer shall be the custodian of all funds and securities of such trust funds, shall invest and reinvest them and expend therefrom moneys as directed by the commissioners. The treasurer shall furnish a bond satisfactory to them for the faithful performance of his duties.

SECTION 47. - The said board of commissioners shall, so far as consistent with the terms of the trusts, manage and control the same, and distribute the income in accordance with the terms of the respective trusts. The board shall keep a record of its doings, and at the close of each financial year shall make a report to the town, showing the total amount of the funds, and their investments, receipts and disbursements on account of the same, setting forth in detail the sources of the receipts and the purposes of the expenditures.

Regular meetings of the board have been held. Notices for same are posted with the town clerk in accordance with the law. The minutes of each meeting are kept in a bound record book.

In compliance with the above two sections of Chapter 41 of the General Laws this report is given complete in detail.

TRUST FUNDS, INVESTMENTS, RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS FROM JANUARY 1, 1963 to DECEMBER 31, 1963 ARE AS FOLLOWS:

CHARLES EDWARD FRENCH TRUST (Accepted 10/14/07). Income to be expended for three silver medals for each high and grammar school, for best scholarship.

Principal \$2,419.50 savings account, Braintree Savings Bank. Balance of income 1/1/63 \$789.70. Income during 1963 was \$129.64. Income balance 12/31/63 is \$919.34.

NATHANIEL H. HUNT TRUST (Accepted 3/9/08). Income to be expended by Trustees of the Thayer Public Library for books.

Principal of \$20,575.71 consists of \$20,000 United States Treasury 4-1/4% Bonds @ Par and \$575.71 in Savings Account at the Braintree Savings Bank. Income during 1963 was \$873.00. Disbursements during 1963 were \$873.00.

ANN M. PENNIMAN TRUST (Accepted 4/10/11). Income to be expended by a committee comprised of Principal of Noah Torrey School, Chairman of School Committee, and Superintendent of Schools, for competitive prizes to pupils of the Noah Torrey School, for reading and declamation.

Principal \$500.00 in savings account at Braintree Savings Bank. Balance of Income 1/1/63 \$26.67. \$18.00 disbursed in 1963. Income during 1963 \$20.90. Balance of income 12/31/63 is \$29.57.

GEORGE W. KELLEY TRUST (Accepted 3/21/27). Income to be expended for care of lot in Lakeside Cemetery.

Principal \$200.00 in savings account at Braintree Savings Bank. Balance of income 1/1/63 \$83.15. Income in 1963 \$11.42. Balance of income 12/31/63 \$94.57.

HANNAH R. HOLLIS TRUST (Accepted 3/26/28). Income to be expended for care and improvement of Hannah R. Hollis cemetery lot in Elm Street Cemetery.

Principal \$100.00 in savings account at Braintree Savings Bank. Balance of income 1/1/63 \$22.17. Income 1963 \$4.92. Balance of income 12/31/63 \$27.09.

CHARLES THAYER TRUST (Accepted 3/25/29). Income to be expended for care of Thayer Family Burial Lot No. 73 and No. 74 in Lakeside Cemetery, remaining income to be expended by Town for worthy purposes as it may determine.

Principal of this fund is \$20,502.37 and consists of \$20,000.00 United States Treasury 4-1/4% Bonds due May 15, 1985/75 @ Par and \$502.37 in savings account at the Braintree Savings Bank. Balance of income Jan. 1, 1963 was \$1,982.16. Disbursed during 1963 was \$100.00. Income in 1963 was \$948.74. Balance of income December 31, 1963 was \$2,830.90.

AVIS A. THAYER TRUST (Accepted 11/9/34). Income to be expended for suitable awards to fourth grade pupils of the Hollis School, for scholarly improvement or attainment. To be expended by a committee comprised of the Principal of Hollis School, Chairman of School Committee, and the Superintendent of Schools.

Principal \$500.00 in savings account at Braintree Savings Bank. Balance of income 1/1/63 \$181.98. Income 1963 \$27.52. Balance of income 12/31/63 \$209.50.

STABILIZATION FUND. Principal \$1,000.00 in savings account at Braintree Savings Bank. Balance of income 1/1/63 \$486.88. Income 1963 \$60.04. Balance of income 12/31/63 \$546.92.

COLBERT SCHOOL TRUST (Accepted 9/7/47). Principal and interest to be expended for extension of Colbert School. Principal has been expended. Accumulated income 1/1/63 \$2,088.40. Income 1963 \$84.36. Balance of income 12/31/63 \$2,172.76.

COLBERT LIBRARY TRUST (Accepted 9/7/47). Income to be expended for maintaining the Colbert Library.

Principal of this fund is \$40,790.37 comprised of \$40,000.00 United States Treasury 4-1/4% Bonds @ Par and \$790.37 in the Braintree Savings Bank. Balance of income 1/1/63 \$1,795.21. Disbursed in 1963 \$1,795.21. Income 1963 \$1,779.75. Balance of income 12/31/63 \$1,779.75.

MARY F. WHITE TRUST (Accepted 3/15/54). To be expended for perpetual care of Penniman School building and the lot on which situated.

Principal of this trust is \$10,752.15 comprised of \$10,000.00 United States Treasury 4-1/4% Bonds @ Par due 5/15/1985/75 and \$752.15 in the Braintree Savings Bank. Balance of income 1/1/63 \$3,151.50. Income 1963 \$584.08. Disbursed in 1963 \$3,440.65. Balance of income 12/31/63 \$294.93.

CEMETERIES - PERPETUAL CARE FUND. At the March 26, 1962 Town Meeting it was unanimously voted: That the By-Laws of the Town be amended by adding to Article VII a new section as follows:

SECTION 4. There is established under the control of the Trust Commission a fund to be known as "Cemeteries - Perpetual Care Fund" in which fund may be deposited any gift received and accepted by the Board of Selectmen or payments required by them, on the sale of cemetery lots, for perpetual care of certain lots, the income therefrom to be used for the perpetual care of said lots. All such gifts or payments shall be recorded on the Cemetery Lot Records of the Town Clerk.

Principal of this fund as of December 31, 1962 was \$1,110.00, with a balance of income of \$11.37.

In accordance with Supreme Court Decree entered February 13, 1963, the following six funds were transferred to the Cemeteries - Perpetual Care Fund.

Julia A. Minchin Trust, principal \$100.00, balance of income 12/31/62 \$65.73.

Joseph S. Miller Trust, principal \$123.66, balance of income 12/31/62 \$81.31.

Charles C. Hill, Trust, principal \$100.00, balance of income 12/31/62 \$65.74.

Henry H. Musick Trust, principal \$250.00, balance of income 12/31/62 \$159.82.

Minerva P. W. Martin Trust, principal \$300.00, balance of income 12/31/62 \$111.42.

Pond Street Cemetery Trust, principal \$20,328.95, balance of income 12/31/62 \$1,856.12.

During 1963 the sum of \$500.00 was added to the principal through perpetual care payments.

Principal of this fund as of December 31, 1963 was \$22,812.61. Balance of income 1/1/63 was \$11.37. Income during 1963 \$3,338.39. Balance of income 12/31/63 was \$3,349.76.

Many of the good deeds performed by town officials are unnoticed. May it be recorded that the establishment of the Cemeteries - Perpetual Care Fund is a most efficient approach to maintaining the cemeteries. In the coming years this fund will maintain the cemeteries without the need for appropriations from Annual Town Meetings. The Board of Managers of Public Burial Places, Selectmen, Town Counsel and Town Treasurer have performed a service that should have been done years ago.

CHESTER W. and MARGARET A. DAILY SCHOLARSHIP FUND (Accepted 10/29/63). Income to be expended for scholarships awarded graduates of Braintree High School.

Principal consists of 100 shares of stock of American Telephone and Telegraph Company, Par Value \$3,333.33, market value \$13,812.50 as of 12/20/63. Income during 1963 was \$180.60. Balance of income 12/31/63 \$180.60.

N. E. HOLLIS PARK AND PLAYGROUND FUND (Accepted Jan., 1959). Income to be expended for parks and playgrounds. Principal \$100,000.00 invested in United States Treasury Notes (Market Value \$100,676.44) as follows:

\$25,000	4-7/8's	due	11/15/63 (matured)
25,000	3's	due	2/15/64
25,000	3's	due	8/15/66
25,000	4's	due	10/ 1/69
25,000	4's	due	8/15/73 (purchased)

Balance of income 1/1/63 \$8,074.97. Income 1963 \$4,101.78.

Expended 1963 \$8,388.07. Balance of income 12/31/63 \$3,788.68.

LUCIA E. HOLLIS AND E. STANWOOD HOLLIS FUND (Accepted January 1959). Income to be expended for books for the Public Library. Principal \$10,000 invested in United States Treasury notes (Market Value \$10,079.81) as follows:

\$ 2,000	4-7/8's	due	11/15/63 (matured)
2,000	3's	due	2/15/64
3,000	3's	due	8/15/66
3,000	4's	due	10/ 1/69
2,000	4's	due	8/15/73 (purchased)

Income 1963 \$359.81. Disbursements 1963 \$359.81. Balance of income 12/31/63 none.

ANNIE STORRS HOLLIS AND NORTON EUGENE HOLLIS FUND (Accepted March 10, 1959). Income to be expended for the benefit of the Public Schools of Braintree.

Principal \$1,168,758.69 (Market Value 12/20/63). Balance of income 1/1/63 \$48,676.48. Income 1963 \$51,731.22. Disbursements during 1963 \$48,989.51. Balance of income 12/31/63 \$51,418.19.

PAR VALUES:		MARKET VALUES:	BOOK VALUES:
41,000	USA Treasury Bonds 4% 8/15/71	\$ 40,807.81	\$ 41,004.38
6,000	USA Treasury Bonds 4-1/4% 5/15/85	6,060.00	6,000.00
10,000	No Johnson Tennessee Revenue 4% 3/1/82	10,421.25	10,065.00
10,000	Redford Mich Revenue 3-3/4% 4/1/78	10,162.50	10,317.00
10,000	St Clair County Michigan Bldg & Site Rev 3-1/4% 1/1/85	9,237.50	9,901.26
10,000	Akron Canton & Youngstown RR Co Series B 4-1/2% 10/1/88	8,500.00	9,400.00
15,000	Akron Union Passenger Depot Co Series A 4-1/2% 7/1/74	12,600.00	15,341.00
10,000	Alabama Power Co 3-3/8% 12/1/78	8,800.00	10,255.00
10,000	Albany & Susquehanna RR Co 4-1/2% 7/1/75	9,650.00	10,322.00
5,000	American Airlines Inc Deb 3% 6/1/66	4,887.50	5,000.00
5,000	American Foreign Power Co 5% 3/1/2030	3,400.00	4,736.03

13,000	American Tel & Tel Co 2-3/4% 8/1/80	\$ 10,497.50	\$ 10,010.00
10,000	American Tel & Tel Co 3-1/4% 9/15/84	8,425.00	10,345.60
25,000	American Tel & Tel Co 4-3/4% 11/1/92	26,000.00	25,156.25
30,000	American Tel & Tel Co 4-3/4% 6/1/98	31,350.00	30,712.50
15,000	Arkansas Power & Light Co 3-3/8% 4/1/85	12,750.00	15,200.00
35,000	Arkansas Power & Light Co 4-7/8% 5/1/91	36,050.00	35,512.50
15,000	Atlantic Coast Line RR Gen Mtg A 4-1/2% 6/1/64	15,037.50	15,153.00
15,000	Baltimore Gas & Elec Co 3-1/4% 12/1/90	12,975.00	15,099.20
5,000	Brooklyn Union Gas Co 2-7/8% 7/1/76	4,181.25	5,085.00
10,000	Central Main Power Co M 3-1/2% 9/1/72	9,350.00	10,329.00
13,000	Citizens Utilities Co 3-1/2% 3/1/72	12,155.00	13,188.89
15,000	Commercial Credit Co 3-5/8% 2/1/76	13,762.50	15,000.00
15,000	Connecticut Light & Power Co Ser N 3-1/4% 12/1/85	12,637.50	14,925.00
25,000	Consolidated Edison Co of New York 5% 12/1/90	26,187.50	25,687.50
30,000	Consolidated Edison Co NY 4-3/4% 6/1/91	31,575.00	30,300.00
14,000	Consolidated Natural Gas 5% 9/1/82	14,437.50	14,256.67
10,000	Continental Oil Co S F Deb 3% 11/1/84	8,525.00	10,103.16
7,000	Cornell-Dubilier Electric Corp SF Debentures 3-7/8% 3/1/72	5,600.00	7,000.00
15,000	Crucible Steel Co of Amer 3-1/8% 11/1/66	14,287.50	15,000.00
10,000	Dallas Power & Light Co 3-1/8% 2/1/86	8,250.00	10,059.80
30,000	Duke Power Company 4-1/2% 2/1/92	30,075.00	31,087.50
25,000	Duke Power Co 4-1/4% 8/1/92	24,312.50	24,915.75
10,000	Duquenne Light Co 4-1/4% 3/1/89	9,675.00	9,887.50
10,000	Florida Power Corp 3-1/4% 11/1/78	8,762.50	10,095.20
10,000	Gatineau Power Co Ser C 3% 6/15/70	8,950.00	10,128.00
15,000	General Electric Co Deb 3-1/2% 5/1/76	13,912.50	15,063.00
15,000	General Motors Acceptance Corp 3-5/8% 9/1/75	13,837.50	14,737.50
35,000	General Telephone Co Calif 4-5/8% 12/1/91	35,700.00	35,918.75
10,000	Georgia Power Co 3-5/8% 4/1/86	8,850.00	10,123.25
17,000	Gilchrist Company 4% 2/1/65	16,192.50	16,952.78
10,000	Household Finance Corp Deb 4% 6/1/78	9,625.00	10,000.00
10,000	Illinois Bell Telephone Co 3-1/4% 7/15/95	8,000.00	10,156.60

25,000	Intl Bank Reconst & Dev 4-1/2%		
	2/1/82	\$ 25,000.00	\$ 25,000.00
7,000	Kansas Okla & Gulf Ry Co		
	3-5/8% 5/1/80	6,020.00	6,912.50
10,000	Long Island Lighting Co 3-3/8%		
	11/1/85	8,475.00	10,122.50
25,000	Michigan Bell Telephone Co		
	Debenture 4-5/8% 8/1/96	25,500.00	25,093.75
10,000	Michigan Consolidated Gas Co		
	1st Mtg 3-1/2% 11/15/80	8,850.00	10,210.00
10,000	New York State Electric & Gas Corp		
	3-3/8% 9/1/85	8,600.00	10,268.95
20,000	New York Tel Co Ser 1 3-3/8%		
	4/1/96	16,550.00	20,100.77
12,000	Northern Pacific Ry Coll Tr 4%		
	10/1/84	11,400.00	11,940.00
9,000	Pacific Finance Corp Deb 3-1/2%		
	7/1/65	8,820.00	8,955.00
10,000	Pacific Gas & Elec Co 3-3/8%		
	12/1/87	8,512.50	10,129.60
25,000	Pacific Gas & Elec Co 4-5/8%		
	6/1/92	25,812.50	24,500.00
50,000	Pacific Gas & Elec Co 4-3/8%		
	6/1/94	49,500.00	50,481.25
10,000	Pacific Power & Light Co 3-3/8%		
	4/1/84	8,400.00	10,192.00
10,000	Pennsylvania RR Gen Mtg A		
	4-1/2% 6/1/65	10,150.00	10,026.00
10,000	Philadelphia Electric Co 3-1/8%		
	4/1/85	8,100.00	10,008.25
10,000	Public Service Electric & Gas Co		
	Debenture 3-1/2% 10/1/75	9,150.00	10,354.00
30,000	Public Service Electric & Gas Co		
	Deb 4-3/4% 9/1/90	31,350.00	31,125.00
30,000	Public Service Electric & Gas Co		
	4-3/8% 8/1/92	29,700.00	30,377.10
5,000	Rochester Gas & Elec Corp		
	4-7/8% 7/1/87	5,250.00	5,055.08
10,000	Southern New England Tel 3-1/4%		
	6/1/89	8,150.00	10,109.80
10,000	South Jersey Gas Co 4-1/8% 10/1/77	9,550.00	10,130.00
84,000	Southwestern Bell Tel 4-5/8%		
	8/1/95	86,520.00	85,097.88
15,000	Standard Oil Co Ohio Deb 4-1/4%		
	1/1/82	14,962.50	15,000.00
9,000	Standard-Thomson Corp S F Deb		
	Ser V 5% 9/1/67	9,000.00	9,000.00
15,000	Sylvania Elec Products Inc Deb		
	4% 2/1/78	14,250.00	14,287.50
35,000	US Steel Corp 4-1/2% 4/15/86	35,350.00	34,825.00
25,000	Virginia Electric & Power Co		
	1st Ref Series P 4-5/8% 9/1/90	25,625.00	25,031.25
15,000	Virginia Electric & Power Co		
	Series R 4-3/8% 5/1/93	14,962.50	15,093.75
10,000	West Penn Power Co 4-1/2%		
	3/1/92	10,100.00	10,200.00

10,000	West Virginia & Pittsburgh RR Co 1st Mtg 4% 4/1/90 Principal Cash	\$ 8,200.00 495.88	\$ 9,300.00 495.88
<u>TOTAL PAR VALUE</u>		<u>TOTAL MARKET VALUE</u>	<u>TOTAL BOOK VALUE</u>
\$1,212,000		\$1,168,758.69	\$1,218,954.38

SALES AND MATURITIES DURING 1963

\$ 1,000	Gilchrist Company 4% 2/1/65 called 2/1/63	\$ 1,000.00
1,000	Standard-Thompson Corp Ser B 5% 9/1/67 called 3/4/63 @ 102.5	1,025.00
10,000	Midland Valley Railroad Co 1st Mortgage 4% due 4/1/63 Matured at par 4/1/63	10,000.00
14,000	American Tel. and Tel. Co. 5% 11/1/83 delivered 6/12/63	14,904.54
10,000	Mission Appliance Corp Deb 6% 7/1/63 matured 7/1/63 @ Par	10,000.00
1,000	Pacific Finance Corp 3-1/2% #9538 7/1/65 called 7/1/63 @ Par	1,000.00
10,000	Fort Walton, Florida 4% 7/1/80 called 7/1/63 @ 103	10,300.00
5,000	Wheeling Steel Corp Ser C 3-1/4% 3/1/70 Redeemed 10/9/63	5,075.00

PURCHASES DURING 1963

15,000	3/17/63	Virginia Electric & Power Co Ser R 4-3/8% 5/1/93	15,093.75
36,000	10/ 8/63	U.S. Treasury 4% Bonds 8/15/71	35,988.75
5,000	11/20/63	U.S. Treasury 4% Bonds 8/15/71	5,015.63

During 1963 the Board of Commissioners of Trust Funds approved the following expenditures from the Annie Storrs Hollis and Norton Eugene Hollis Fund:

East Junior High School, Television Equipment for closed circuit

Television camera #320 B w/vidicon	\$2,705	
Tripod and dolly	395	
50 ft. camera cable	110	
Camera Control Console	6,910	
Generator	1,850	
Cables and factory assembly	550	
Film, camera, mount and cable	2,050	
Multiplexer and lenses	430	
	<u> </u>	\$15,000
Audio Visual Department		
Television set for audio-visual office	140	
Television set for Hollis Building	240	
Television set for Lakeside	240	
	<u> </u>	620

Physical Education

8 Medart physical educators - Elementary Schools	\$1,800	\$ 1,800
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Industrial Arts Department (High School)

1 Vertical 18" Camera, platemaker and light belt	2,199	
1 Chandler press	2,600	
1 Chandler press paper cutter	<u>2,600</u>	
		7,399

Mathematics Department

Teaching machines and programs		2,000
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Science Department

E. B. Biology Films	5,584	
15 microscopes	<u>1,200</u>	
		6,784

English Department

Humanities films		1,020
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Maps and globes - all schools		3,000
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Music Department

1 Bass drum, snare drum and records		470
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Library Books

Braintree High and Elementary Schools		7,000
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Science Fair and Exhibits		500
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Educational Trips		3,083.48
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For assistance and cooperation given the Board during this past year, we thank the various Town Officials and Committees.

ROBERT P. GRAY

ARTHUR L. WHITTEN

JOSEPH F. CONNOLLY

DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS' SERVICES

The Department of Veterans' Services operates under Chapter 115 of the General Laws of the Commonwealth, as amended by Chapter 584 of the Acts of 1946.

The case load for 1963 showed a 40% increase over 1962 which resulted in a 24% increase in expenditures. Hospital rates were increased. Medical and medication went up 13%.

The filing of applications for veterans and their dependents with the Veterans' Administration for compensation and pensions exceeded the number filed in 1962. Advice on the procedure of settlements and insurance claims was also rendered. Notary Public and photostatic services are available, without charge, to veterans and their dependents.

JAMES A. C. SMITH
Director

GRAVES REGISTRATION

In accordance with Chapter 114, Section 46A of the General Laws of the Commonwealth, as amended, the graves of deceased Veterans buried in the Town of Braintree have been properly cared for and suitable markers and flags placed thereon.

During 1963 there were sixty-two Veteran burials in the cemeteries of Braintree. This is an increase of 33% over 1962. Markers have been placed on each grave. At Memorial Day approximately 450 flags were placed on Veterans' graves.

The United States Government will furnish at no cost a suitable marker for a Veteran's grave. Applications for such markers can be obtained at the Department of Veterans' Services, Room 28 in the Town Hall.

JAMES A. C. SMITH
Graves Registration Officer

REPORT OF WIRE INSPECTOR FOR THE YEAR 1963

ARTHUR F. LUCAS, Inspector

JOHN H. FRAZIER, Deputy

Permits issued in 1963	679
Number of inspections in 1963	1,932
Days in office	241
Fees Collected - January 1, 1963 through December 31, 1963	\$4,014.00

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS FOR 1963

J. Warren Cuff, Chairman

Calvin E. Young, Clerk

Richard J. McNealy

To the Citizens of Braintree:

The Board of Assessors met on March 5, 1963 and organized with J. Warren Cuff as Chairman. The Tax rate of \$70.00 was set on April 22, 1963 and approved by the Department of Corporations and Taxation the same day.

The Board of Assessors has entered an article in the 1964 Warrant seeking funds for a revaluation of the real estate in the Town in order to comply with a ruling by the Supreme Judicial court of the Commonwealth that all property be assessed at its full, fair cash value.

Respectfully submitted,

CALVIN E. YOUNG, Clerk

THE FOLLOWING IS THE 1963 RECAPITULATION:

1963 RECAPITULATION Figures Used in Fixing Tax Rate G. L. Chap. 59: 23-25

All Appropriations Voted Since 1962 Tax Rate was Fixed	\$7,816,311.66	
Deficits due to abatements in excess of overlay 1957 - \$200.40		
1959 - 98.40	298.80	
State Tax Assessments	159,842.99	
County: Tax and Assessments	198,889.19	
Overlay of Current Year	165,984.42	
Gross Amount to be Raised		\$8,341,327.06
Estimated Receipts	2,357,913.86	
Available Funds	1,011,845.65	
Total Deductions		3,369,759.51
Net Amount to be Raised by Taxation on Poll & Property		4,971,567.55
Number of Polls: 9017 @ \$2.00 - \$18,034.00		
Valuations: Personal Estate: \$2,312,865.00 @ \$70.00 - \$161,900.55		
Real Estate: \$68,451,500.00 @ \$70.00 - \$4,791,633.00		
Total Taxes Levied on Polls and Property		4,971,567.55

BRAINTREE TOWN FOREST COMMITTEE

January 10, 1964

Board of Selectmen
Braintree, Mass.

Gentlemen:

The Braintree Town Forest Committee herewith submits its annual report for 1963.

The Town Forest came through the year in good shape, without serious damage from its natural enemies, storms and insects. Even its human enemies, those who obtain their pleasure by committing acts of vandalism, did not do as much damage as they have in other years. There were only a few fires set, and none of these burned over an extensive territory. However, there were several instances of damage to trees and to a footbridge. Vandalism is a problem common to any public recreational facility, it seems, and we are thankful that in the case of the Town Forest it was no worse.

Seedling trees planted during the past few years continued to grow satisfactorily, and funds appropriated by the town meeting were used to continue the program of clearing and disposing of underbrush and stunted trees to give the better trees more of a chance to grow.

The Braintree Girl Scouts made their usual good use of the Town Forest facilities for their summer day camp, Camp Sherwood.

The committee thanks the Board of Selectmen and all other town departments that have been called upon for help and advice during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY C. LAKE
DONALD C. WILDER
JEANNETTE MOHNKERN
Town Forest Committee

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT ANNUAL REPORT

Aaron P. Whitcomb, Superintendent

Maintenance

Streets and sidewalks were cleaned throughout the Town.
The business centers were cleaned daily.
All catch basins were cleaned.

Patching & Repairs

Town streets-sidewalks-fences and guard rails were repaired where needed.

Street Surfacing

Surface treated 42,240 lin ft.
Used 34,000 gals. of Liquid Asphalt.
Used 492 tons of Type I Asphalt Mix.

Signs - New

Stop signs	8
No Parking	36
Detour	12
Do Not Enter	2
One Way - Do Not Enter	7
Dead End	6
One Way - right arrow	12
One Way - left arrow	4
Deaf Child	1

Street Painting

Cross Walks at all schools and business areas painted

Crosswalks painted with Perma Line:

So. Braintree Square
Braintree Square

All cross walks at schools were painted with traffic yellow

Snow Removal

All streets-school parking areas - Town parking areas were plowed and sanded.

Salting begins in business centers - main streets - hills and intersections as soon as snow covers the ground.

Salt used 143 tons

Sand used 3400 tons

New Construction - Central Ave. Drain

130.5 ton Asphalt Mix
186 ft. 10" concrete pipe
956 ft. 12" concrete pipe
4 catch basins
5 manholes

Walnut St. - Drain

20 ton Asphalt Mix
9 ton 1" stone
52 ft. 30" reinforced concrete pipe
1 catch basin

Liberty St. to Plain St. - Roadway

700' x 40'

3472 gal. Liquid Asphalt
1439 yds. gravel
571 ton Asphalt Mix
124 ton 1-1/2" stone
120 ft. 10" concrete pipe
260 ft. 12" concrete pipe
4 catch basins
2 manholes
1582 lin. ft. Berm

Hollis Ave. - Roadway Ash St. to Oak St.
700' x 30'

1563 gal. Liquid Asphalt
1220 yds. gravel
272 ton Asphalt Mix
80 ft. 12" concrete pipe
2 catch basins

New Construction - Streets under the Betterment Act:

Winthrop Ave. - Washington St. to Arbutus Ave.
610' x 40'

1516 gal. Liquid Asphalt
773 yds. gravel
156 ft. 10" concrete pipe
592 ft. 12" concrete pipe
359 ton Asphalt Mix
30 ton Stone Dust
2-1/2 yds. concrete
7 catch basins
3 manholes

New Construction - Sidewalks under the Betterment Act:

Cleveland Ave.	1500' x 5'
French Ave.	3000' x 7'
Lakeside Dr.	400' x 7'
Willard St.	450' x 7'

Chapter 90 Maintenance

So. Braintree Square	Summer St. to Hancock St.
Braintree Square	Hollis Ave. to First National Bank
Granite St.	Anderson Rd. to Braintree Five Corners

Sanitary Land Fill - To cover Town Dump

7,619 yds. covered periodically

Rubbish Collection

Collections are made monthly, beginning:

The FIRST MONDAY in Precincts 1 & 2
The SECOND MONDAY in Precincts 3 & 4
The THIRD MONDAY in Precincts 5 & 6

Holidays falling on Monday, collections will begin the following day.

Rubbish should be in suitable containers, NOT IN OIL DRUMS.

1963

MOTH DEPARTMENT ANNUAL REPORT

PRIVATE PROPERTY SPRAYING

The procedure for spraying on private property for other than Elm Trees:

The party for whom the spraying is to be done makes application and payment to the Town Treasurer, who in turn forwards to us a copy of the receipt for payment.

This copy of the receipt is our authority to spray.

AERIAL SPRAYING OF CANKER WORMS

3900 acres were sprayed by air at \$1.11 an acre.

DUTCH ELM DISEASE

47 samples of suspected trees were sent to the University of Massachusetts, Shade Tree Laboratories at Amherst, Mass.

Report of their diagnosis was as follows:

Diseased	36
Sterile	11

Contract let for the removal of diseased trees.

Respectfully submitted,

AARON P. WHITCOMB
Superintendent

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH

DR. MARY A. HALPIN, Chairman

ROBERT E. FRAZIER, Clerk

JOSEPH H. JUSTER, Member

FRANCIS E. CHAFE, Agent

Diphtheria Clinic: The Diphtheria Clinic this year was admirably conducted by the School Health Department in conjunction with the Board of Health. In all 1008 children received the benefits of this program.

Food Handling Establishments: A program of more frequent inspection of all the Town's food handling installations was instituted this year. The initial inspections were very thorough and we were pleased to find so few major sanitation violations. The cooperation of management in correcting unsatisfactory conditions called to their attention deserves commendation since it often involves expenditure of money. A bi-monthly test of all the eating and drinking establishments was made and results of these tests (bacteria count) were forwarded to each establishment. In the event high bacteria counts

were recorded an immediate re-testing was conducted, and steps taken to remedy questionable sources of high incidence.

The increasing number of major first class restaurants which have been locating here in Braintree during the past three years has indicated the need for review of our food handling regulations. Under study, at present, are regulations concerning head coverings, T.B. examination, and food handler certificates.

There were five occasions during 1963 when the Department was called upon to investigate into suspected dangerous or poisoned foods.

Tuberculosis Prevention, Communicable Diseases and Health Education: The execution of the various programs connected with the above named captions have been very efficiently carried out by the Braintree Visiting Nurse Association. Braintree still continues to report a low incident of communicable diseases. Credit should also be given to the Braintree School Health Department for its active participation, cooperation and assistance rendered to these Health Programs.

Milk Testing: Once each month samples of milk were taken from dealers delivering milk in Braintree. These samples were tested for butter fat, total solids, phosphates, bacteria and coli. These tests reveal that the milk being sold and delivered in Braintree maintains a consistently high level. It is pleasing to report that no milk-borne disease has occurred in Braintree for quite some few years.

Any resident so desiring can review the results of these tests at the Braintree Board of Health Office.

Plumbing Inspector's Report: Under the jurisdiction of the Board of Health a total of 937 inspections were completed by the Plumbing Inspector. Before any inspection is considered complete the work must fully meet the Plumbing Rules and Regulations of the Board of Health.

Polio Clinic: The Braintree Board of Health in cooperation with the State Health Department and the School Health Department joined forces once again in 1963 to offer the Sabin oral polio vaccine to all children and adults in the community. Braintree was among the few cities and towns offering the program to the adult population.

Salk and Sabin polio vaccines will continue to be offered free to the Doctors and the Braintree Visiting Nurse Association at the Health Department office in the Town Hall.

Gas Piping and Gas Appliances: During the first full year of operations there were 386 permits issued and inspections made. Before any gas piping or gas appliance is installed a permit must be issued by the gas inspector. When the work is completed it is thoroughly tested by the gas inspector for approval.

Annual Disposal Report: The following is a table by months of the number of animals taken care of at the Board of Health Incinerator:

January	37	July	39
February	40	August	33
March	44	September	36
April	32	October	35
May	40	November	43
June	38	December	32

DENTAL HYGIENIST REPORT

September 4 - December 20, 1963

At the opening of the school year dental examinations are given to all the pupils from kindergarten through the eighth grades.

I contacted the local dentists and they volunteered their services to do the general inspections.

I also contacted a new dentist in the town, Dr. Nicholas Pellegrino, who very willingly gave his services.

Following the examinations, notices were sent home to the parents of those children who were found in need of dental attention.

After these cards are signed and returned, I checked each card and carefully studied those requesting clinic.

I consulted the teachers where the child attends, also district supervisors, district principals, school nurses and if in doubt the Visiting Nurse Association, before the pupils are eligible.

Other letters, telephone calls were made to parents as the occasion called for especially to explain to new families moving into town, the set-up of our dental clinic.

By determining the number of days in the school year that the dentists could work and considering the increased population, the condition of the teeth in each building, a working schedule is planned by the dental hygienist for just how long the dental clinic will remain in each school building.

I have fifteen schools to cover.

I assist all the local dentists, including the school dentist during the general examinations in every school throughout the entire town.

After these examinations are completed, I start my clinical work, also my educational program.

Dental health posters are hung in all schools and reading materials in regard to tooth brushing habits at home, nutrition for good dental health are distributed.

I had a meeting with Mr. Ward, Director of Visual Aids, the first part of November.

Films were discussed and a program was arranged to show dental films for age levels including kindergarten through the eighth grades.

I will devote half of January, all of February part of March showing these films on "Dental Health" education.

First of December, Mr. Ward asked me to have shown a special film to get the age level, also the evaluation. This was shown to the sixth grades only, pupils of the Donald Ross School.

The first 100% classroom dental chart was obtained by Mrs. Newton's pupils grade 5 Lakeside school in November.

Mr. Ward has taken pictures of these pupils and publicity arrangements will be made with the Braintree news paper.

Dr. Ludlow is making it possible to continue the practise of awarding prizes to the pupils and teachers of the classrooms that attain 100% on dental charts.

In October I attended a Dental Hygienist meeting at which I saw slides on evaluation of fluorides, also heard discussions on pros and cons.

There is a new fluoride, applicant, which is highly recommended by the research department at Forsyth Dental Center and soon as I have definite information on this, I will inform Board of Health members.

In October, I attended a tea presented by Miss Mary Warren kindergarten teacher of the Watson school.

I spoke to the parents of these children on my duties, as a dental hygienist, in the schools, also the importance of good dental care of the kindergarten age level.

In closing, I would like to thank principals, supervisors, teachers, nurses, secretaries and custodians for their excellent co-operation.

I wish also to thank, Mr. Young, Mr. Raymond and members of the Board of Health, also the secretary and local dentists for their valued services.

Respectfully submitted,

SABENA D. ARSENAULT, R.D.H.

Educational Materials were received from the following:

H.P. Hood & Sons, Inc.
New Eng. Dairy & Food Council
Church and Dwight Co., Inc.

National Dairy Council
Amer. Dental Assoc., Chicago, Ill.
International Apple Assoc.,
Washington, D. C.

PARKS, PLAYGROUNDS AND GOLF COURSE

Charles F. Abell, Superintendent

The Braintree Park Department experienced another successful season, because of the ideal weather we had this past summer our thirteen playgrounds, Sunset Lake, Swifts Beach and the Golf Course was enjoyed by the children and adults of our town.

All playground athletic fields were used to capacity. It took over three tons of marking lime to mark off all fields to carry out this program of track, baseball, soft ball, cross country, football, soccer and field hockey.

A complete program of Arts and Crafts along with scheduled baseball games and swimming classes were carried out at our playgrounds and swimming areas.

The Commissioners moved the Organized play program from the Penniman School yard to the new East Junior High School. This proved to be a good move



Swimming - Swifts Beach



New playground - East Junior High School

because many more children used the facilities at the School site, namely baseball, tennis and track. Consideration should be given in the near future to reopen the Penniman School area for summer recreation because of its distance from other playgrounds and its populated area. This goes along with the Commissioners program to have a small playground at isolated sections of our town.

The Town's Park Department operated Golf Course grossed \$37,698.00 this year against \$9,735.00 in 1955. The Course is self sustaining which in turn helps in the over-all Park Dept. budget. It is well to note that a boy or girl over twelve years old to twenty one years old can play fifty five hours of golf per week for the golfing season for only \$25.00. The Golf Course Committee are proud to have set up this schedule to encourage teen agers to play this sport.

The Park Commissioners are grateful to the service organizations in our Town, and the Town departments who have assisted us in making 1963 a successful year.

GEORGE F. LEBEN, Chairman
ARIGO LaTANZI, Vice Chairman
EARL C. HOLLIS
EDGAR M. LAWRENCE
MITCHELL GAWLOWICZ
LAWRENCE T. GINGROW
A. ROSS MALCOLM

REPORT OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT - 1963

HARRY T. SEARS

Chief of Fire Department

Superintendent of Fire Alarm

In 1963 out of a total of 1253 calls of all descriptions 166 resulted with a loss totaling \$112,552.93. Property valuation involved by fire in 1963 \$2,501,300.00, Lightning strike at the Braintree Electric Light plant resulted in a \$135,000.00 loss, valuation \$3,500,000.00 of plant itself these figures are not included in the figures shown above.

Fire prevention being the most effective weapon in lowering the fire loss and minimizing the physical dangers to our people, we have introduced the Junior Fire Marshall Program which has contributed measurably in controlling hazardous conditions in the homes. Over 4,000 homes in the Town of Braintree were inspected, cleared of any fire hazard through a questionnaire by the Junior Fire Marshall. The questionnaire was then returned to the school teacher before receiving a reward. We feel this plan along with the Fire Department Fire Prevention program is far reaching in reducing our fire losses and protecting the lives of our people.

By amending the Building Code at the 1959 Town Meeting and adding the Sprinkler and Fire Detection Law, all boarding or lodging houses, hospitals, nursing homes, convalescent homes, schools, and all new business or industrial establishments having more than 3,000 square feet of floor area must be protected by a complete sprinkler system or a complete Fire Detection system.

Mutual Aid plays a very important part in the protection of life and property. We are grateful to have automatic Mutual Aid with our neighboring city and towns.

During the year 1963 we used 38,600 feet of 2-1/2 inch hose, 38,000 feet of 1-1/2 hose, 95,000 feet of booster hose and 976 feet of ladders. Our Engines pumped water 244 hours and 10 minutes. We answered 50 calls for Oil-Gas-Water leaks, 14 Sprinkler Alarms, 70 False Alarms, 63 Building Fires, 526 calls for Grass-Woods-Dumps, we had 94 Investigations, 34 Resuscitators and Inhalators, 93 Automobile and Truck fires, 29 Mutual Aid Calls, 25 Automobile Accidents and 255 Miscellaneous calls, making a total of 1253 calls for the year 1963.

Supervised drills and schooling in the Fire Department are carried on throughout the year to keep abreast of the most advanced fire fighting techniques and equipment. Drill Master and Ass't Drill Master attend all schools and demonstrations available thru the year.

In 1964 I have requested 4 additional Fire Fighters due to the increased property to be protected. Over \$45,000,000.00 worth of new property must be protected.

To protect this additional property a 2nd man should be added to the 2nd Engine Company at the Central Station. This should eliminate building and equipping a new fire station in the South Shore Plaza district at this time.

The Fire Stations are in very good condition except for some minor repairs. The apparatus is in very good condition.

I have recommended the purchase of a 2nd piece of Aerial equipment. One 21 year old 65 foot Aerial Ladder is inadequate to protect a town with a population of 38,000. When we purchased the aerial ladder in 1942 we had 4,663 dwellings, today we have 8,800 dwellings plus new schools, numerous manufacturing plants and the new South Shore Plaza District.

A permit is required from the head of the Fire Department for the installation and storage of Liquified Petroleum Gas system, 41 permits were issued for such installations in 1963. 161 Permits for Blasting, 426 Permits for Storage of Fuel Oil in dwellings and 357 Permits for Fire in the open air.

The Fire Alarm System is in very good condition except for a 22 year old Fire Alarm Truck. I have recommended the purchase of a new fire alarm truck. In 1963 five new alarm boxes were added to the fire alarm system.

As my time of retirement as Chief of the Fire Department and Superintendent of Fire Alarm approaches, I want the Officers and members of the Department to know how I appreciate the efficient way they have carried out their duties.

In closing please accept my personal thanks to all who have assisted the Fire Department in any way.

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY T. SEARS
Chief of Department
Supt. of Fire Alarm

BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

PAUL W. YOUNG, Chairman
FRED A. TENNEY, Clerk
WHITNEY WITHINGTON, Member

The Board of Public Welfare under its Director and personnel rendered public assistance together with many social services to approximately 500 cases during the year 1963.

The median case load was 300 cases which were aided under the various categories of public assistance; namely, Old Age Assistance, Medical Assistance for the Aged, Aid to Families with Dependent Children, Disability Assistance and General Relief.

The State and Federal Governments through the Social Security Act grants reimbursements in all categories of relief except General Relief, as well as for the administration of the public assistance program.

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Requirements for this program are based on need. To be eligible a person must be 65 years of age or over. Children of applicants are required by law to contribute to the support of their parents. Certain exemptions are deducted from gross income before legal liability is arrived at, if any.

The lien law effective since January, 1952 is still a requirement on the ownership of property.

\$26,467.00 in recoveries for assistance rendered in previous years was turned over to the Town Treasurer. This money is reallocated to the Federal, State and local governments. Recoveries are made under the Old Age Assistance Lien Law Chapter 118A, Sec. 4 and 4A, together with voluntary reimbursements.

The total expenditures for the year 1963 amounted to \$139,726.33. The Town's share after Federal and State reimbursements was \$14,580.58.

MEDICAL ASSISTANCE FOR THE AGED

This program functions under Chapter 118A, Sec. 23 through 32. It provides for the medical needs of persons 65 years or over who are in need and medically indigent. Children of applicants are required by law to contribute to the support of their parents the same as under the Old Age Assistance Law. The legal liability of children is applied first as a resource to the medical needs of the parent.

The total expenditures for the year 1963 amounted to \$187,091.49. The Town's share after Federal and State reimbursements was \$32,170.39.

AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN

Since July 1962, this program has broadened, and in conjunction with the Federal Bureau of Family Services, particular emphasis is being made on extended social service to meet special problems of families such as reducing dependency through an effective program of rehabilitation services, jobs, job-training under the Federal retraining program, strengthening family life, and safeguarding children in hazardous home conditions. Social and economic forces in our society together with growth in the child population are factors to be considered in this program. Effective activity in the location of

deserting fathers, and follow through of non-payment of support charges through the courts, is a continuous procedure by the Welfare Department.

The total expenditure in 1963 amounted to \$70,647.55. Town's share after Federal and State reimbursements was \$20,427.37.

DISABILITY ASSISTANCE

This program functions under Chapter 118D of the General Laws. To be eligible for this program a person must be 18 years of age up to 65 years of age and physically and totally disabled as certified by a complete medical report and approved by the State Medical Review Team. Reviews are made every six months and yearly periods for continued medical eligibility.

The total expenditures in 1963 amounted to \$34,223.94. The Town's share after Federal and State reimbursements was \$8,555.98.

GENERAL RELIEF

Under Chapter 117 this program assists those in need of assistance, medically indigent or who are not eligible for the other programs of assistance. On the basis of settlement laws under Chapter 116, the Town pays other cities and towns for assistance given to Braintree settled cases. As of 1/1/64 this law has been eliminated. Under Chapter 117, Section 24 and 24A notices are received from various hospitals of any Braintree resident who is hospitalized and in need of public assistance. These notices are investigated by our staff as to need and ability to pay.

The total expenditures in 1963 for General Relief, hospitalization and to other cities and towns was \$14,667.77. Details of expenditures and receipts of all categories will be found in the Town Accountant's report.

Increased expenditures of Public Assistance has been due to increased costs of hospitalization and other medical needs. Effective January 1, 1964 an increase of 10.6 percent was granted by the State Commissioner of Administration and the Bureau of Hospital Costs and Finances.

A request has been made to the Selectmen for larger welfare quarters in which to work. The department has eight in personnel. Privacy of interviewing recipients for Public Assistance is very limited.

The Director wishes to extend his appreciation in his first year of stewardship for the fine cooperation extended by the personnel of the Welfare Department, Board of Public Welfare, Former Chairman Herbert Hollis, Harrison Smiley who resigned May 1, 1963, and other town officials and employees.

The social services of the Community Agencies extended through the Welfare Department has been most gratifying. Visiting Nurses Association, Protestant Services, St. Vincent De Paul Societies, many individuals and the press.

Respectfully submitted,

LLOYD L. DOYLE
Director of Public Assistance

REPORT OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT

JOHN V. POLIO, Chief

PERSONNEL

54 Police Officers 1 Clerk
17 Traffic Supervisors 1 Janitor
2 Substitute Traffic Supervisors

January 1, 1964

TO THE CITIZENS OF BRAINTREE:

I herewith submit my report of the activities of the Police Department for the year ending December 31, 1963.

TOTAL ARRESTS 346

No. 1 - Crimes Against Person 20

Assault & Battery	13
Threats	1
Assault with Dangerous Weapon	3
Rape	3

No. 2 - Crimes Against Property 102

Breaking & Entering & Larceny	5
Breaking & Entering & Attempt to commit Larceny	10
Fraud, Forgery	5
Larceny & Attempt	58
Larceny of Auto	1
Malicious Mischief	3
Using Motor Vehicle without authority	16
Uttering	4

No. 3 - Crimes Against Public Order 224

Delinquency	2
Deserter from Army-Navy	3
Disturbing the Peace	13
Driving Motor Vehicle to Endanger	1
Driving Motor Vehicle while intoxicated	18
Drunkenness	142
Lewdness	1
Violating Motor Vehicle Laws	21
Neglect or Non-Support of Family	8
Non-Payment of Wages	1
Stubbornness	3
Violating Traffic Rules	2
Tramp or Vagrant	2
Resisting Arrest	1
Possession Burglarious tools	3
Affray	2
Disposing of refuse on Public Way	1

SUMMONSES ISSUED AND SERVED	1,143
Braintree	125
Out of Town	1018
SUBPOENAS ISSUED AND SERVED	100
Braintree	76
Out of Town	24
TRAFFIC CONTROL	
Approximate number of vehicles registered in Braintree:	1962 - 17,012
	1963 - 18,402
Total Accidents	1962 - 606 1963 - 534
Personal Injury (including 4 Fatales)	211
Property Damage	323
Four Way Violation Notices Reported to Registrar:	1962 - 86 1963 - 655
Unlawful Speed	510
Operating M.V. after Drinking	23
All Other Violations	122
Violation of Traffic & Meter Regulations:	1962 - 1169 1963 - 1903
Restricted Place	374
All Night Parking	250
Meter Violations	968
All Other Violations	311
Violations receiving court action	91
SUDDEN DEATHS	28
INSANE PERSONS	9
TOTAL SERVICE CALLS	6,397
TOTAL NON-SERVICE CALLS	5,563
TOTAL CALLS RECEIVED AT STATION	11,960

The year 1963 brought forth many changes — the first change came on January 1, 1963 when Wampatuck became the official insignia of the Braintree Police Department. Chief Wampatuck deeded the land known as Braintree which was then comprised of Quincy, Randolph, Holbrook and Braintree to the townspeople on August 5, 1665 for the sum of twenty-one pounds--10 shillings (approximately \$72.00).

- January 26 Rescue of a small boy from drowning at Sunset Lake. Officers Biagio A. Varroso and George H. Faustini commended by Board of Selectmen, Rotary Club and Police Department for their part in the saving of a life.
- February 17 Theodore K. Buker promoted to rank of Sergeant. Assigned to the 12-8 Night Patrol. Patrolman William A. Gallivan assigned to the 4-12 Detective Bureau. Sergeant Herbert H. Eno put in charge of Detective Bureau.

- March 3 Leo J. Hart, Jr. appointed Deputy Chief of Police. Put in charge of the uniformed personnel.
- April 1 Construction of central records room begun and indoctrination of a new records system. Officer Paul J. McHugh put in charge of records. Room completed and new system in full operation within period of one month.
- April 28 Three new patrolmen appointed: Leonard I. Torrey, Thomas H. Parsons and Thomas W. Cleggett.
- May 7 Officers Charles P. Graziano and Donald R. Gustafson commended for apprehending person in the act of burglarizing the Highlands Pharmacy.
- May 16 Officer Donald H. Snyder elected president of the National Police Officers Association.
- May 30 Change in uniform specifications. New patches depicting Chief Wampatuck to be worn by all officers.
- June 17 New pedestrian light approved and installed on Commercial St. for children going to and from Adams St. Playground. First "WALK" and "DON'T WALK" in the Town of Braintree.
- June Three vehicles traded in for three new vehicles. First automatic transmissions purchased on specifications.
- June 28 Photographs taken at Sunset Lake in the A.M. showing the need for a Police Officer from 9:00 A.M. to 9:00 P.M. instead of the usual hours of 1:00 P.M. to 9:00 P.M.
- August 30. Four new Lieutenants appointed effective October 13, 1963: Peter F. D'Amico, Joseph C. O. Gagne, Edward P. Long and Nofri C. Solimini.
- September 23 Joseph J. Starkey and Harold F. Stewart promoted to Sergeant — Pasqualino A. Leo reinstated as a patrolman — Donald R. Gustafson appointed permanent patrolman — all effective October 13, 1963.
- October 13 Re-organization plan put into operation.
Deputy Chief Leo J. Hart in charge of uniform personnel.
Lieutenant Edward P. Long — Prosecutor and Officer-In-Charge of Detective Bureau.
Rotation of Commanding Officers on all three shifts.
Start of a Traffic Bureau — Sergeant Everett A. Buker in charge.
The above are highlights of the re-organization plan.
Limited space prevents further detail.
- November 30 Officer George E. Wilson retired from the department after 32 years of faithful and loyal service.

December 9 First training class — given by Lieutenant Edward P. Long
Subject: Public and Human Relations. This started a series
of training classes with the following instructors:

Lieut. Long	Court Procedure — Police Photography
Lieut. Gagne	First Aid
Lieut. D'Amico	Firearms Instructor
Sergt. E. A. Buker	Accident reports, correct issuing of Uniform Traffic Tickets and Parking Violations.
Sergt. Eno	Fingerprinting and taking thereof.

The following men were sent to various schools sponsored by the F.B.I.
and State Law Enforcement Agencies during the year 1963:

Chief	2 weeks administrative school
Lieut.	2 weeks training officers school
Lieut.	1 week firearms instructors school
Lieut.	30 hours First Aid Instructors School
Sergt.	2 weeks investigators school
Sergt.	1 day teletype school
2 Ptrlmn.	2 weeks investigators school
2 Ptrlmn.	6 weeks State Police School
1 Ptrlmn.	1 day teletype school

In my 1964 Budget I have requested the addition of 4 (four) new men — 1 Plainclothesman and 3 uniformed patrolmen. In order to give the town adequate cruiser coverage I am requesting that 2 Harley-Davidson Motorcycles and a 1952 panel delivery truck be traded toward the purchase of an additional station wagon cruiser.

I have also recommended the replacement of one tube type radio now in the Ambulance and a new radio to be put in the Safety Car. In order to have instant communication with surrounding towns, M.D.C. Police and State Police - which is invaluable in the apprehension of violators of the law to all departments concerned I have recommended the purchase of an intercity network radio. An improvement in our telephone system is recommended to give greater service and expedite all calls. This will be of benefit to the towns-people who sometimes receive a busy signal when they try to reach the Police Department.

I would like to extend my sincere appreciation to the Board of Selectmen and other officials of the Town and especially to the members of my Department for their cooperation during my first year as Chief of Police.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN V. POLIO, Chief
Braintree Police Department

THAYER PUBLIC LIBRARY

The Trustees of the Thayer Public Library present for your consideration the Financial Report of the Trustees and the Report of the Librarian for the year 1963.

Gordon W. Bryant, Treasurer
Doris A. Canavan
Constance S. Leggett
Gordon O. Thayer
Gilbert L. Bean, Chairman

ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT - TRUSTEES OF THAYER PUBLIC LIBRARY December 31, 1963

PRINCIPAL FUNDS

Foundation Fund	\$11,020.91
Caleb Stetson Fund	2,500.00
Rachel Thayer Fund	172.50
Nathaniel Hund Fund (with Town Treasurer)	.
Lucia E. and E. Stanwood Hollis Fund (with Town Treasurer)	.
Frank Kenna Fund	<u>545.45</u>

RECEIVED

Cash on hand January 1, 1963	1,430.56
Added during 1963 - Foundation Fund	443.74
Stetson Fund	100.44
Thayer Fund	7.19
Hunt Fund	873.00
Hollis Fund	-
Hollis Fund School Dept.	2,000.00
Kenna Fund	21.79
Miscellaneous Interest	<u>91.96</u>
	\$ 4,968.68

EXPENDED

From Foundation Fund	25.00
Hunt Fund	354.51
Hollis Fund	374.37
Hollis Fund School Department	<u>2,000.00</u>
	\$ 2,753.88
Cash on Hand January 1, 1964	<u>2,214.80</u>
	\$ 4,968.68

GORDON W. BRYANT, Treasurer
Trustees of Thayer Public Library

THAYER PUBLIC LIBRARY
STATISTICS, 1963

LIBRARY USE
CIRCULATION

Main Library

Books, Periodicals, Pamphlets

Adult	113,477	+5,933
#Juvenile	127,855	-35,477
	<u>241,332</u>	<u>-29,544</u>

Phonograph records	<u>4,342</u>	<u>-245</u>
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Total	245,674	-29,789
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Branches

Adult	28,708	+257
Juvenile	19,561	-679
	<u>48,269</u>	<u>-422</u>

TOTAL LOANS	293,943	-30,211
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#The juvenile circulation at the Main Library includes books which circulated over the desk at the Library and books which circulated from classroom deposits at the schools.

Over-the-desk	107,083	-3,836
School deposits	<u>20,772</u>	<u>-31,641</u>
	127,855	-35,477

OTHER USE

Group meetings in Library rooms (including summer story hours)	157	+10
Money collected and turned over to the Town Treasurer from fines & lost books	\$4,927.68	-\$239.57

REGISTRATION OF BORROWERS

	<u>Adult</u>	<u>Juvenile</u>	<u>Total</u>
Borrowers, January 1, 1963	9,323	4,690	14,013
Registered in 1963	2,792	857	3,649
Borrowers moved or cards expired	2,534	454	2,988
Total registrations - December 31, 1963	9,581	5,093	14,674

LIBRARY MATERIALS

	<u>Adult</u>	<u>Juvenile</u>	<u>Total</u>
Books			
Volumes, January 1, 1963	44,110	16,977	61,087
Added 1963	2,297	1,069	3,366
Withdrawn 1963	1,425	1,044	2,469
Volumes, December 31, 1963	44,982	17,002	61,984
Phonograph records			
January 1, 1963	855		
Added 1963	104		
Withdrawn	12		
Records, December 31, 1963	947		

REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN

1963

November 3, 1963 marked the end of ten complete years of library service in the new Thayer Library building. These have been ten years of progress, and increased activity, years which reflect change; change in events of world-wide, national and local importance, and changes in library service.

EXTENDED HOURS

Beginning April 15, 1963, it was found possible, by rearranging staff schedules, to have the library open an additional evening in order to improve library service. This was done without additional personnel being added. The library is now open four evenings until 9:00 P.M. and two afternoons until 6:00 P.M.

Library Hours

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday 9 - 9
Thursday, Saturday 9 - 6

THE YEARS RESULTS

Figures preceding this report indicate total loans of library materials of 293,493 and 14,674 registered borrowers or 47% of the population of the town. The library now owns 61,984 volumes and 947 phonograph records. While the circulation figures indicates a loss, the number of borrowers registered during the year indicates an increase of 471 or 13%. In analyzing the loss in circulation, one fact is evident, that the loss has occurred only in the circulation of children's materials, and primarily in the number of books sent to classrooms in the schools. This year 84 deposits were sent to the schools as compared to 101 last year, and the circulation of classroom books loaned was 20,772 as compared to 52,413 the previous year. There was a slight loss of 3% in the over-the-desk circulation of children's books at the library, and an increase of 4.4% in the circulation of adult books.

SHIFT IN SCHOOL USE

These figures also indicate new trends and changes in methods and needs. For many years, the public library has sent to a great many of the elementary school classrooms, collections of about thirty books which could be used in each room or taken home by the pupils. This filled a great need for materials in the classrooms, both for recreational reading and also for supplementary subject materials, since there were no libraries in the elementary schools. Now that the School Department receives the income from the Hollis Fund, money has been made available to each teacher to buy books for her room. Gradually, a classroom library is being developed, so that many teachers have not felt the need to bring to the schools extra material from the public library.

Both the Children's Librarian, Mrs. Cobb, at the Main Library and the Branch Librarians, Mrs. Giles and Mrs. Burgess, report their facilities are crowded with children using materials in the library; (reference books, pictures, periodicals) and yet they have taken from the library fewer books.

Changes in methods of teaching give the child more assignments which must be done during out-of-school hours, assignments which require more research. This leaves less time for purely recreational, take-home reading. For example: a fifth-grade child wants material on Marshall Tito, even before she

knows who Tito is; other fifth-grade children have an assignment on the Cuban crisis; and seventh-grade pupils have a debate on sending wheat to Russia. These reflect the changes in the work being expected of even the younger child. These assignments require current materials, much of which is found only in periodicals. This means that it is necessary for the children's room to draw more and more heavily on the adult reference department and adult materials. In the Adult Department, 62% of the increase in circulation was in non-fiction, periodicals, and pamphlets.

SERIOUS CONDITION

In 1963, the library added to its collection 385 fewer books than in 1962, yet it spent \$2,589 more than in 1962; an increase of 39% in the amount spent per book. This increase is due to the following:

1. Increase in individual book cost:
Experts in the book and publishing field estimate that there has been a general increase of 15% in all types of books. The frequent price of a book of fiction is now about \$5.95. An ordinary biography costs, frequently, \$10.00 or more.
2. Purchase of more expensive items necessary:
It has become more and more necessary to buy technical and scientific books of an advanced nature. These run at least \$9.00 to \$12.50 each with discount of only 5% or 10%. The library is able to purchase only a small number of these books, yet they are needed and worthwhile books, not luxury items. Such books are too expensive for the average person to buy for his own library. They should be available to the townspeople at the public library.

According to national minimum standards, a town serving less than 100,000 population should add annually at least 1/5 of a volume per capita. With Braintree's population of 31,069, this would mean 6,213 books added annually. Braintree's library added just over half this number.

The Librarian made a study of book budgets in the eighteen towns most comparable to Braintree in the eastern area of Massachusetts. The figures were enlightening and serve as a warning. Of the eighteen towns, Braintree was the fourth highest in population. Braintree spent the lowest amount per capita, or \$.40, for library materials, including books, periodicals, and records. The average per capita of these towns was \$.76. If we fall any lower, we will not be eligible for State Aid. That is proof of how inadequate our book budget is.

Complaints from borrowers unable to get books they want have been of increasing concern to the librarians during this year. Many times in the Children's Room, the shelves of books for the first three grades have been almost empty, and parents have often left the library without books. The Chairman of the Trustees visited the Children's Room one evening to find all books for the third-grade level out on loan except three. This would not have provided much of a selection for a borrower who happened to come in to borrow a book for a child of that age. Branch Librarians also complain to the Librarian because they do not have enough books to keep popular ones on the shelf. Our supply is not up to demand, and if this continues very long, the use of the library will start to fall off. We cannot permit this to happen. We must prepare ourselves to offer the service, the interesting choice of books, which Braintree citizens deserve.

NEED FOR MORE BOOKS

All this leads to one outstanding observation. The library must have more money for books. During the past year, it has become more and more evident that the library is in the midst of a crisis in not being able to provide materials necessary, both in quantity and quality. The statistics warn us of the consequences.



Where are the books ?

In 1963, the town appropriation for books was \$10,500. For many years, the library has received in its book budget a token increase of \$500.00 a year, which didn't even keep pace with town growth and increase in cost. The library also receives about \$1,300 income from trust funds which have been left for the purchase of books. During 1963, some relief was provided when the School Department made available to the library the sum of \$2,000 from its Hollis Fund for the purchase of reference books for the Study Room. The Library Department appreciates greatly this generous gift, for without it, it would have been impossible to provide as good reference material as is now available. However, the Librarian and the Board of Trustees are forced to the conclusion that a substantial and emergency increase in book money must be obtained in its 1964 budget if the service afforded the town is to maintain a satisfactory quality and encourage increased use of the library.

For many years, the library has been complimented on its book collection. It has a good basic collection. However, this reputation will be lost if money is not available to enlarge and expand the collection into new fields and keep pace with town demands. One eminent authority has stated: "The strength of a library's book collection lies first in its quality and second in its size; and the strength of the library's service depends on the strength of its book collection, second only to the ability of its staff." Books are the cornerstone of the library.

STATE GRANT-IN-AID

In 1960, the State Legislature passed a statute providing for a state grant-in-aid of \$.25 per capita to improve library service in the towns and cities which met certain minimum standards of library service. \$1,000,000 for this

purpose was removed from the Income Tax receipts returned by the state to the towns of the commonwealth for general use. The share of each town in Income Tax money for general use was, therefore, reduced, Braintree included, and certain towns who met library standards were given a share of the \$1,000,000 withheld to use for library purposes. Braintree's share of the latter was bigger than the amount we lost in the former.

The Library Trustees and the Finance Committee, therefore, agreed to use part of the library grant-in-aid to reinstate the state grant for general use to its full former level and to apply only the excess for library purposes. Thus, one town department would not gain at the expense of other town departments. For Braintree in 1963, this meant that about \$3,400 of a \$7,500 State Grant-in-Aid for libraries was used for library purposes. It was used to install a Fire Detection System in the main library building. The installation of this system was urged by the Fire Chief as a result of the disastrous fire in the Randolph Library.

The state law has now been changed so as to reinstate the Income Tax funds distributed to towns for general use to the full amount, without reduction for library grant-in-aid. Starting in 1964, the funds for this grant-in-aid will, in their entirety, be new money coming to the town from the state. Therefore, the entire amount is now properly applicable to improve library service above what the town itself should normally be expected to provide. This is in accordance with the intent of the State Legislature.

In 1964, the State Grant-in-Aid to Braintree for library purposes will be \$7,767 and, unlike former years, this money in no way comes from funds otherwise received from the state for general use by other departments. Braintree's share of Income Tax receipts will be reinstated to the full share received prior to the Library Aid law.

VISIT OF ENGLISH LITERATURE

For four nights in October, Miss Hall and Miss Valentine were hostesses in their homes to three English Librarians. They were a part of a group of 130 librarians from the Association of Assistant Librarians in England making a Study Tour of libraries in New York, Washington and the Boston area. They were an enthusiastic and friendly group and, in talking over library procedures, it was found that problems in both countries are similar. On returning to England, one of the librarians sent to Braintree a copy of the Lancashire County Library Report. One paragraph in particular struck a familiar note. The Report stated: "Note should be taken of the growing number of highly-specialized and technical requests which are received, and, also, the increasing use of Reference Rooms and other facilities for study."

PERSONNEL

Personnel changes continue to present a problem to efficient library service. In the fall, Miss Judy MacAllister, Assistant Librarian in the Children's Room, left to undertake work in a different field, Miss Dorothy Kamison assistant in the Adult Department, left to return to college. After some weeks, Mrs. Mary Pellerin replaced Miss MacAllister in the Children's Room. Mrs. Pellerin was familiar with the visits of the fifth-grade children to the Thayer House and the library, and has proved a very helpful assistant in that department. Mrs. Helen Gustin, in a part-time capacity, is a most efficient clerical staff member in the Adult Department. In November, Mrs. Carol Giles, Librarian at the East Braintree Branch, took the state examination for certification as a professional librarian. She has recently received word that she has successfully passed the examination. She is to be congratulated and the

library is proud that she now officially is entitled to professional status as a result of her many years of practical experience in library work.

GIFTS

Each year the library receives numerous gifts of books and other materials from citizens of the town or interested organizations. These are greatly appreciated. The generous gift of the School Department of \$2,000 for school reference books has been mentioned earlier in this report. The following gifts of periodicals have been received:

Mr. Alan Barnett - Science & Technology
Miss Marjorie Bates - Human Events
Lions Club - Lions Magazine
Dr. Marvin Powell - Forbes Magazine
Rotary Club - Rotarian
Mr. Gordon Trask - Journal of Accountancy
Dr. John Wendland, Minneapolis - Naturalist Magazine
Xerox Corporation - Country Beautiful

Books have been received from the following organizations:

All Souls Church Branch Alliance
American Association for the Advancement of Science
American Medical Association
American Petroleum Institute
Boston College
First National Bank of Boston
Health Insurance Institute
John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Company
Krow Eldeen Society, in memory of Mrs. Arthur R. Gates
Mott Foundation
Vantage Press, Inc.
WBZ Radio

Gifts from the following individuals have also been received:

Mrs. John Ames; Mr. Alan Barnett; Mrs. Grace Lyon Benjamin; Mrs. Fred Chandler; Mr. Arthur Eastwood; Mr. Arthur T. Gregorian; Rep. Herbert B. Hollis; Mrs. H. Hobart Holly; Mr. Richard Iacobucci; Rep. Carl R. Johnson; Mrs. Marjorie P. Maxham (from the estate of Mrs. Raymond P. Palmer); Mrs. James E. Milley; Mr. Robert Niles; Miss Grace Osgood; Mr. Tom O'Connor; Mrs. Louise Pennock; Mr. Charles Rolfe; Mrs. Gladys Saunders; Mrs. Harvey Tracy; Mr. Roland Whitman.

LOOKING AHEAD

As the library begins the year 1964, it is entering its 90th year of service to the community of Braintree. In September 1974 the library will be celebrating its centennial year. The next ten years must be years of accomplishment in which to bring to fruition projects which have long been in thinking stages, such as a new and suitable building for the East Braintree Branch; years to implement our evaluation of the library's service to the community and what it should stand for; years in which the library will offer to the Town of Braintree, its citizens, and its businesses, the real key to advancement.

Reading is the Key to Opportunity, the Key to New Worlds, and the Key to Understanding, for in books lies knowledge.

Respectfully submitted,

MIRIAM HALL
Librarian

REPORT OF
THE BOARD OF WATER COMMISSIONERS
TO THE CITIZENS OF BRAINTREE:

The year 1963 again posed many problems to the Braintree Water Department. One of the most serious problems was our below-average rainfall during the Winter of 1962 and the Spring of 1963. This resulted in our major storage area, Great Pond, being below maximum capacity at the beginning of our Spring and Summer season. This was the first time in many years that this condition existed. The continued drought during the Summer and Fall further increased this problem; and, if it had not been for the major excavation work during 1958 and 1959 in our Upper and Lower Reservoir, we undoubtedly would have been forced to go on severe water restrictions. We are sure that you recall the long stretch last Fall, where we were without rainfall for several weeks. Each day our demand for water increased, and our supply decreased.

The above conditions pointed out the extreme necessity for additional sources of water in order to enable Braintree to continue its excellent growth, both industrially and residentially.

The Water Department, after many tests for wells and water sources, located an excellent future source of water in the general area known as "Crowley's Pit". Exhaustive tests by our department, collaborated by our Consulting Engineers and the State Board of Health, convinced us that this is an excellent location for a gravel-packed well and water storage area, which will supply water to enable Braintree to continue to grow.

We took this approximately 14 acres by eminent domain last Fall and are now progressing with engineering plans for the development of this major source of water.

At our Great Pond Pumping Station, we plan to increase the efficiency and capacity of our pumping facilities by the installation of an additional low-lift pump and a new high-lift pump. The electrical capacity of our station will be increased by the installation of a transformer and related switch equipment.

We now have two contractors who are excavating our Upper Pond Area which, when completed, will greatly increase the storage capacity of the Upper Pond. This work is being done at no cost to the Town, and the Water Department is being compensated for salvage of material.

At the Special Fall Town Meeting, it was voted to authorize our department to borrow \$35,000 to finance the cost of part of the above work. This borrowing is to be paid back within a five year period, and the balance of the cost of future expansion during 1964, we plan to take out of our surplus and future earnings.

The Commissioners wish to take this opportunity to commend our Superintendent, Donato T. Richardi, and his loyal employees for the excellent and efficient manner in which they operated the department in 1963. Each task and emergency that confronted them during the year, they handled with dispatch, the end result being that the residents of Braintree enjoyed an excellent and continuing supply and quality of water.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS H. MATTHEWS, Chairman
ARTHUR L. WHITTEN
HOWARD J. ROSE

Board of Water Commissioners

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

To the Board of Water Commissioners:

As the Superintendent of the Water Supply System, I am pleased to submit the 73rd Annual Report showing the present condition of the Department and all the extensions and improvements made together with a statement of operating the system during the year.

The Distribution System has been increased by 14,225 linear feet of water mains and 20 new hydrants. We have added 116 new services, 26 were renewals, and 59 were repaired. The contractors working on the new highways and sewer extensions were responsible for the majority of the repaired services.

A new sprinkler line was installed at the Sigma Instrument Company of Pearl Street, and also a new sprinkler line for the Jay Cee Building. Three new sprinkler lines were added at the Coca Cola Plant on Granite Street.

Our department has completed the laying of the 12" main pipe for the Coca Cola Company and they shall become regular consumers in the near future. This project of laying 2000 feet of 12" Cast Iron Pipe on Granite Street was completed in June and the funds were appropriated to our department at the March Town Meeting.

On October 22nd of this year, we awarded an excavation contract to the F.X. Messina Contracting Company for the removal of materials in the Upper Reservoir. The Edward T. Dwyer Contracting Corporation is also excavating the Upper Reservoir per our previous contract. This project of excavation increases the water storage capacity of Great Pond immensely.

The improvements made by our department during the year were as follows: A straight blade snowplow was installed on our new Chevrolet dump truck by our men and is used for snow removal on Water Department grounds. A new pumping unit has been installed by Mr. Ralph Hall in accordance with our contract specifications as of April 22, 1963 at the Braintree Highlands Booster Station.

The reason for the purchase of this pumping unit is to increase the water capacity and also to satisfy the demand for water in the Braintree Highlands area.

An excellent source of water has been discovered in an area located on Pond Street near the Town of Randolph boundary line, this source is referred to as "Crowleys' Property". We have secured this land by eminent domain. Our engineers, along with the State Board of Health, have taken a chemical analysis of a sample of water from this area and the result was found to be excellent. This 14.25 acres of property will be developed for additional water supply for the Town of Braintree as the town is growing with new industrial sites and a constant increase in population. Our department shall continue to seek other sources of water in the future, which will enable us to meet our needs.

Two of our employees retired this year. Frank O'Rourke retired on January 31, 1963 with 14 years of service and Mrs. Lillian Woodsum retired on April 3rd, with 22 years of service. Miss Genevieve MacInnis passed away February 10th. She had been a loyal and conscientious employee for the past 37 years.

At this time, I would like to express my appreciation to the people of the town for their cooperation regarding the 24 hour water restriction that we enforced when the 12" main broke at the Great Pond Pumping Station. My appreciation is also extended to the Quincy Patriot Ledger and Radio Station W.J.D.A. of Quincy for their constant news coverage regarding our enforced water restriction.

My sincere thanks are expressed to the Board of Water Commissioners along with the employees for their full cooperation and utmost assistance during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

DONATO T. RICHARDI
Superintendent

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Balance, January 1, 1963		\$ 58,425.30
Collections		<u>422,842.20</u>
		\$481,267.50
DISBURSEMENTS		
Maintenance and Operation	\$380,780.16	
Amortization on Debt	33,000.00	
Interest on Debt	9,451.50	
Commissioners	<u>300.00</u>	<u>423,531.66</u>
Balance, December 31, 1963		57,735.84
UNEXPENDED BALANCE ON ART. 12 NEW HIGH LIFT PUMP AT GREAT POND		\$436.60

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BRAINTREE SCHOOL COMMITTEE

In keeping with his announced plans, Ralph W. Proctor, Braintree's Superintendent of Schools for 17 years, retired on August 31, 1963. During his administration the school population had doubled, necessitating the building of 8 new buildings and 2 annexes and the remodeling of several others to provide additional classrooms. In addition to his many duties as superintendent, Mr. Proctor served as educational consultant in all the building programs as an advisory member of the building committees, and planned for and purchased the necessary new equipment. Many revisions and innovations in the curriculum were introduced during his administration, resulting in a system that is considered among the best in the Commonwealth.

Soon after the first of the year, the members of the School Committee took up the task of screening, interviewing and finally appointing, a new superintendent. William F. Young of Waban, Massachusetts, was selected and officially began his duties on July 1, 1963. Mr. Young has had 32 years of experience as a teacher and an administrator, and has a B.S. degree from Norwich University and a M. Ed. degree from Boston University. Prior to his appointment in Braintree, he was Deputy Commissioner, Massachusetts State Department of Education, for 4 years. His varied background combined with Mr. Proctor's thorough knowledge of the Braintree system, resulted in a transition which was very smooth and completely satisfactory to the School Committee and the whole system.

The supply of copies of the "Rules and Regulations" of the School Committee having been depleted, we made a thorough study of the present rules and up-dated not only these, but also the Committee's policies, prior to having them printed.

With the cooperation of the School Site and Survey Committees and district and parent-teacher study groups, a thorough study was made of the future room requirements of the whole town and as a result, a program has been launched to meet these needs, particularly in the overcrowded Highlands district. A \$400,000 addition to the Liberty School which will include 7 classrooms, library and remodeling, and a \$86,000 cafeteria and storage area at the Noah Torrey Primary School were approved at a Special Town Meeting in October. In addition, the Site Committee has made a thorough study of future needs. Members of the School Committee, as well as of the administrative staff, have been working members of these communities and have made frequent reports.

In November, a 3-day evaluation was made at the high school by a 30 member "team" representing the New England Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools. The generally favorable report of their findings was later received and will be used as a yardstick for continued improvement. This on-site inspection is made of all member high schools of the Association every ten years and is a requirement to maintain accreditation.

Two members of the administrative staff were given promotions during the year. Arigo L. LaTanzi, formerly Administrative Assistant was named Assistant Superintendent, which assignment will give him authorization to act in the capacity of the superintendent in his absence. Robert F. Cooke, formerly Business Manager, was named Administrative Assistant for Business Affairs.

The School Committee continued its practice of former years in the preparation of the budget. Individual members made a thorough study of assigned sections of the budget. We completed the 1964 budget on December 18 after many special evening meetings. We appreciate the cooperation of the Finance Committee in having a representative present at many of our budget meetings. It

has resulted in improved understanding between the two committees. At this time, we call the attention of Town Meeting members to the \$50,878 which was turned over to the E & D Fund at the end of the 1963 fiscal year. This savings in the \$3,300,000 budget for 1963 resulted mostly from unused funds appropriated for salaries both in the teachers' and other accounts. Transportation costs have shown the greatest increase outside of teachers' salaries in the 1964 budget necessitating an anticipated item of \$110,325 for the coming year.

At this time, the School Committee wishes again to express its gratitude to the entire faculty, the administrative staff, the maintenance and custodial personnel, the secretaries, nurses and cafeteria workers, who showed continued cooperation in making this a progressive and successful school system.

Respectfully submitted,

RUTH W. SHUSTER, Chairman
ROBERT J. BARRETT, Secretary
ROGER W. ARNOLD
ALMEDA W. CAIN
JOHN D. CALLAHAN
REUBEN H. FROGEL, M.D.



Closed Circuit Television shows library catalog system
to many classes

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS FOR 1963

Plant Maintenance and Growth

As far as it is possible for one to project into the future it appears Braintree will have a continuing growth in population. As had been indicated in studies and surveys, the highly desirable land has been developed into home sites, but what once appeared less interesting becomes more desirable with scarcity. Thus for some time to come small tracts will continue to be built on and land will be filled or leveled for more houses. Still a few large areas are under development such as the valley between Middle, Union, and Liberty Streets. These homes are bound to have children and where the growth in school population exceeds available space either additions or new structures must be built. It is our responsibility to foresee these coming needs and try to prepare in advance so there will be a desk for each pupil when he is ready for school.

The Site and Survey Committee is one of the committees that helps both the School Committee and, of course the town by studying and searching out every possible clue that will provide information of potential growth. It is the duty of the Site and Survey Committee to find acreage for future school development, trying to locate areas that will be near the center of added population in order to be reached on foot by as many children as possible. They try to avoid heavily congested traffic areas, and they must look for locations where busses may approach without creating or having to be in hazardous zones. Certain State regulations govern the size of lots acceptable for schools and mindful of state financial aid the Site and Survey Committee must keep these requirements before them. This past year a great deal of investigation has been done by this committee and we are certain that the town is being very well served by this fine group.

Besides the aforementioned Committee there have been two other committees that have been working hard in the development of school additions while still two other committees have been drawing their activities to a close. The first two are the Noah Torrey School Building Committee working for an addition to house the cafeteria kitchen, and the Liberty School Building Committee working on the seven classroom addition, also to include a playroom, library and auxiliary rooms. These two committees did very well in keeping their plans within reason so that the October Special Town Meeting approved both projects by substantial margins.

The two committees nearing the completion of their work are the Monaquot School Building Committee and the Braintree High School Addition Building Committee. After a project has been completed a building committee usually remains organized for several years to make certain that all details have been attended to and that the facility is operating as planned. Finally, a financial report is made to the town and the committee is disbanded.

We who operate and work in these schools are greatly indebted to these hard working committees for their diligence to detail and to the town for making these fine structures available.

Site & Survey Committee

Edward L. Doyle, Jr.
Charles E. Gale
George E. Stevenson
Joseph L. Goulart
Roger W. Arnold

Torrey School Building Committee

Mrs. Carmelo J. Nicosia
Robert L. Dawes
Robert B. Frazier
Howard K. Day
Robert J. Barrett



Students using portable science table made available through
National Defense Education Act

Monatiquot School Building Committee

John Garber
Ernest Frawley
Robert J. Burdett
George Brackett
Gustav Rook

Liberty School Building Committee

Frank M. McGowan, Jr.
Robert T. Smart
Joseph C. Kazanowski
Prof. James P. Jones
Mrs. Almeda W. Cain

Braintree High School Addition Building Committee

Charles J. Bradford
Fred Belyea
A. Winton Caird

Raymond M. Bean
Ruth W. Shuster

Personnel

During this past year more than sixty teachers have entered the employ of the School Committee. Fifty-seven teachers new to Braintree helped us open school in the fall and these people appear to be about the finest group to come here, or so the veterans in the system have indicated.

The reason for being able to draw fine teachers, most of whom have had several years of experience, has been the good salary schedule. With a good schedule we not only have a greater number of candidates from which to make selections but we are now competing favorably with those communities regarded as being able to pick and choose at will. The colleges and the distances from which our new teachers have come is a fine indication of the pulling power of a good schedule. A good schedule must have a high top figure in order to draw the capable persons who wish to remain for some time in one community.

Non-Degree	5500 - 6600
Bachelor	4900 - 7400
Master or 30 s. h. equiv.	5200 - 8000
Master plus 30	6200 - 8400

School Plant

Braintree is fortunate in having a group of craftsmen skilled in a variety of trades who keep our buildings in good repair. Linked with that maintenance group is a large corps of men regarded as custodians. This latter group are just what their name implies. They take great pride in their buildings and see that the buildings are kept clean throughout the year. Any mother knows how difficult it is to keep her kitchen or any other well used part of her house clean. She surely can appreciate the task of the custodian who has many more to clutter the building as well as a larger area to oversee. The custodian holds a highly respected job and is a master of his art. Today the custodian has hundreds of square feet of glass to wash and yards and yards of floors to clean. He has innumerable motors to check and gauges and meters to watch. When a custodian has pride in his job he loves his school. When he has that feeling of pride it permeates the atmosphere and soon the students feel it. They no longer carelessly mark on walls or drop papers about. As a matter of fact, the custodian's feeling toward his school is reflected throughout the entire building. We invite our townspeople to visit our buildings and see why we are proud of our custodians and maintenance men.

Summer School

It is worthy of note that summer school serves several purposes. One is that of providing for those children who need some degree of further effort to

pass their subjects. In this situation summer school becomes an elongation of the regular school year. It is true that the number who pass the review courses is smaller than one-half of those in the summer program. This does not mean the effort has been lost. It may mean that the original judgment was correct in not passing certain pupils and that those who fail really need another year. Nevertheless, those who pass through their efforts in summer school, not only save themselves time but save the town money, because the summer session is far less expensive than the full year of repetition, and more than one-half the cost of summer school is supported by those attending.

Another worthy purpose is in providing for courses pupils do not ordinarily have time to study in their normal program. So-called enrichment courses are very valuable for the capable students, particularly at the high school level, and we shall hope to be able to expand these offerings in the future. This past year 498 students attended, returning \$6,000 on a \$10,500 cost.

Industrial Arts

Industrial Arts is differentiated from Vocational or Trade School training by providing an exploratory or tryout course for one year in many of the same subjects for which vocational schools give more thorough training for several years in preparing a boy or girl for a vocation. Some students want an introduction to mechanical subjects without committing themselves to a study of these courses for a life's work. To a boy looking forward to a technical college, industrial arts provides an experience with machine shop practice that is of great value in later years in design or other applications of his scientific training. Such courses are not always available in college. The industrial arts courses in Braintree High School are excellent in offering an introduction to the many mechanical subjects about which one might wish to have knowledge.

There are those who need solid education in a trade and for years such students have gone to out-of-town schools at the expense of the town of Braintree for such training. Trade training elsewhere is not given with Braintree in mind or with any exercise of control by our community. Because of many problems involved Braintree students who should seek vocational training do not. The town will soon decide whether to become a part of the Regional Vocational School being considered for this area. It is well to know that the vocational program as planned in such a school is not now provided in the industrial arts program at our high school. Nor are the subjects expected to be offered in the Regional Vocational School to be found in any school easily available to the young people of Braintree.

For the industrial arts courses provided at Braintree High School it should be known we spend considerable money to make both modern equipment and materials available. These courses are recognized by the Massachusetts Department of Education as excellent. The offerings in this program will not be changed or discontinued if the vocational school should come into existence, for neither can fill the need of the other.

Regional Vocational School District Planning Committee

Arthur M. Hayes, Chairman
Robert J. Barrett

A. Ross Malcolm
Arigo L. LaTanzi

Utility Building

A Utility Building Committee was appointed by the town to work out a combined Park Department, Public Schools building that would accommodate machinery, trucks, and supplies. The committee has worked seriously trying

to prepare plans for such a building which would save money for the town by having equipment under cover and in one place.

The school system has need for storage space for large quantities of school supplies and school lunch materials. By having a central distribution point there should be a saving on large orders that now are broken down to be sent by the supplier to the individual schools. Better inventory control should be one of the advantages.

Utility Building Committee

John D. Callahan	Lawrence T. Gingrow
Charles F. Haley	Charles F. Abell
Roy O. Ventura	

Elementary Supervisor

The Supervisor of Elementary Education is the coordinator of all academic instruction programs in grades kindergarten through six. This position is one of great responsibility because it encompasses such a variety of knowledges.



Pupils from every elementary school
participate in this orchestra

The Supervisor must have a wide background in training and experience in all the subjects taught at the elementary level. Such a person must also be well aware of and practiced in the use of all equipment used in the classrooms. But the most essential function of this diverse position is the ability to successfully work with people - teachers, principals, and directors of subject

fields, not to mention the capability of efficiently carrying out the instructions of the superintendent. The Supervisor of Elementary Education must visit all teachers but more especially those teachers within their first three years of service. It has been one of the supervisor's responsibilities to interview and visit in their present position all prospective new teachers, along with the principal in whose building that teacher may work. Having thus been in on the employing, it then becomes a matter of trying to assist the newcomer, once employed, in becoming a good teacher by advising and assisting in the teacher's day-by-day planning. Thus the supervisor has a deep concern for the new teachers at the elementary level. This position along with that of the elementary principal is largely responsible for the success of new teachers and is very much responsible for helping to sift out those who once having been employed, are not able to measure up to our standards and must be dropped. The townspeople need to be aware of the various built-in checks and balances a good system has. The supervisor is one of those, first to help find well qualified teachers, then second, to follow up on those employed to help them grow into fine teachers, and third, when necessary, to have the courage and honesty to indicate where one needs to be dropped.

Athletics and Physical Education

Our two most recent Presidents have helped to sharpen the emphasis in the need for a greater physical education program. Schools that rarely had devoted any time to physical education in the lower grades were scrambling to get on the bandwagon. Braintree has been in the front rank in the teaching of physical education for a long time. True, there can be an improvement in the amount of time devoted each week in each grade to physical education, but the point is that the program was not hastily created and squeezed into an already crowded elementary schedule. The Braintree physical education program is a well-coordinated schedule of activities commencing in the lower grades and having a systematic growth through high school. Every child is required to attend physical education unless by specific doctor's orders he is excused or eliminated. Excuses must be reviewed periodically.

The program of fitness in the lower grades tends to create big muscle activity, running, jumping and climbing. As the program develops through the grades it teaches a number of skills requiring coordination, timing, and precision. The program is not intended to create athletes, although the regular weekly attention to the three items mentioned does help to bring out those who are more than ordinarily skilled in the qualities that make a good athlete. The real intent of this course, one of the few required throughout one's entire public school attendance, is to help to create a healthy body that will be in a good condition to live a full and regular life. Side effects are numerous, among them the ability to learn to lose as gracefully as to win, to cultivate a good wholesome competitive spirit, and to learn some skills that either in themselves or by adapting may bring about practical adult application in such sports as tennis, bowling and golf.

Administrative Assistant in Charge of Buildings

This position, created seventeen months ago, has proved of great value to the town both in efficient handling of men and materials. Responsible for both repair and maintenance, the person in this job must have a substantial background of knowledge of equipment and have the creative ability to improvise in emergencies. Requiring efficiency of methods and a high aptitude for handling mechanical and structural problems this position, occupied by a well qualified person, is a key post in the administrative staff. This is another of the important positions the exercise of which seriously affects the budget. With nineteen different buildings to supervise, from the recently acquired Higgins house to the East Junior High School, there is ample work to keep

such a position very challenging. The town is receiving a bountiful return on the management of this staff position.

Audio Visual

In the Audio Visual Department we now have 250 sound films, 2400 film strips and 150 recordings. Each school has an approximate number of projectors and reproducers to make this material a substantial aid to a teacher's work. A concentrated program of instruction is provided for teachers in the use of these extra aids and every encouragement is given to find new uses as well as new equipment to teach more effectively.

This past year overhead projectors were provided which make possible the projection of figures drawn on a transparent film to a screen before the class. The audio-visual department has been making some excellent transparencies which can be made to fit the particular needs of a teacher at a given time. These latest acquisitions have added greatly to the extension of the materials a teacher employs today to make what she is teaching more effective.

A plan is being established in looking toward the future of an annual replacement for the audio-visual equipment. Some of our machines are very old and have about reached the point where the cost of maintaining them is becoming prohibitive.

Home Instruction

In this past year the Home Instruction Department, employing two teachers, taught seventy-four students at all grade levels. This number is nearly one percent of the total school population. A number of these children receiving home instruction have been confined over a long period of time. In order to receive teaching help by this means a child must be incapacitated for some little time. Such service is not available for children absent with the normal or regular child illnesses.

Children have received instruction at Norfolk County Hospital for which the town of the child's residence is charged.

Braintree children confined at the South Shore and Quincy Hospitals are provided instruction by our own visiting teachers, but we pay for tutoring students at Boston hospitals. This is a special service very much appreciated by those people who are unable to attend school. By helping to keep these students up-to-date in their main academic subjects the transition upon returning to school is made much easier.

Retirement

During the year a number of teachers retired who had served Braintree well and long. By their gracious service many children have gained in knowledge the better to face the world. We commend these teachers for their constant devotion to duty and wish to hope for them many bright and prosperous years ahead.

<u>Name</u>	<u>School where assigned</u>	<u>Began service in Braintree</u>
Mrs. Carrie D. Atwood	Monatiquot	1950
Mrs. Ann W. Brandt	Liberty	1950
Mrs. Francis E. Gray	East Junior High	1935
Mrs. Florence M. Jeffers	East Junior High	1931
I. Raymond Libby	District Principal, East	1929

Ralph W. Proctor	Superintendent of Schools	1946
Mrs. Evelyn L. Salter	Lakeside	1949
Mrs. Anna B. Shue	South Junior High	1955
Raymond L. Strangford	Asst. Principal High School	1922
Mrs. Bertha Wilson	Lakeside	1944

Your new Superintendent has had six months to observe and evaluate the use of plant, personnel, and program. In this report he has intentionally avoided the large areas of the academic program. These require more detailed study than has been possible in these few months since school began in September. It is proper to report that the programs in operation: modern mathematics, double-purpose and others, are constructive and at present seem to offer advantages over other methods used. Braintree in this respect has kept up-to-date in modern teaching procedures and is more advanced than some school systems. Decisions concerning programs are not the result of one or two person's observations but come as the result of much study and evaluation by many people. The criteria used is always based on such questions as: does it explain more quickly, more clearly, or more efficiently, does the end result produce the actual objective we set out to reach, and can it be done with a minimum of change and confusion and without disproportionate cost? Ever mindful of the relation of these many problems we shall diligently strive to produce the finest possible educational system for the Town of Braintree.

REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR
Year ending December 31, 1963

	Total Charges & Refunds	Receipts	Abatements	Judgements Tax Titles etc.	Dec. 31, 1963
1963 R. E. & Charges					
Poll Tax	\$4,918,757.89	\$4,627,079.80	\$154,828.03	\$ 14,378.50	\$122,471.56
Personal Tax	18,073.58	15,697.58	2,344.00		32.00
Farm Excise	161,925.05	149,462.25	1,071.00		11,391.80
Auto Excise	49.13	49.13			
Total	742,267.87	555,849.03	58,879.43		127,539.41
1962 R. E. & Charges					
Poll Tax	5,841,073.52	5,348,137.79	217,122.46	14,378.50	261,434.77
Personal Tax	165,193.72	143,467.22	13,180.73	8,545.76	.01
Auto Excise	36.35	26.00	14.00	2.00	5.65Cr.
Total	5,762.54	5,189.81	572.73		
Total	101,664.68	82,667.48	18,624.82	267.30	105.08
1961 R. E. & Charges					
Poll	272,657.29	231,350.51	32,392.28	8,815.06	99.44
Personal	7,122.55	680.80	7.40	6,434.30	.05
Auto Excise	6.00	6.00			
Total	795.50			795.50	
Total	1,006.48	124.66	569.96	318.46	6.60Cr.
Misc. Previous Yrs. Real Estate	8,930.53	811.46	577.36	7,548.26	6.55Cr.
Betterment Assessments	836.12	635.72	200.40		
Total all Commitments	301,786.82	67,095.23	367.84	80,443.11	153,880.64
Misc. Receipts:					
Interest	6,425,284.28	5,648,030.71	250,660.34	111,184.93	415,408.30
Statements					
Fees					
Total					
Total Receipts all Sources		10,751.72			
		\$5,658,782.43			

GEORGE H. GERRIOR, JR.
Collector of Taxes

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SEWERS

January 2, 1964

To: The Board of Sewer Commissioners
Town of Braintree, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I submit herewith my annual report upon the activities of the Sewer Department for the year ending December 31, 1963.

New Construction:

6.1 Miles of new sewers were constructed during the year, as shown below:

<u>Location</u>	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>Pipe Size</u>	<u>Houses Served</u>	<u>Length Feet</u>
Alida Rd.	Grace	Southerly	8	-	260
Amherst Rd.	Portland	Kenmore	8	32	1,465
Argyle Rd.	Trefton	Pleasant View	8	-	244
Audubon Ave.	Quincy	Easterly	8	2	182
Bowditch St.	Easement	Easterly & Westerly	8	5	68
Cabot Ave.	Main Sewer	Westerly	8	9	507
Columbus Ave.	Easement	Fountain	8	17	589
Congress St.	Easement	Spring	10	2	161
Congress St.	Spring	Clinton	8	18	998
Easement	Brook Fork	Amherst	8	-	788
Easement	Brook Fork	Hemlock	12	-	1,055
Easement	Brook Fork	Hemlock	10	-	645
Easement	Easement	Alida	8	-	535
Easement	Easement	Bowditch	8	-	222
Easement	Easement	Brook Fork	12	-	1,819
Easement	Easement	Columbus	8	-	1,601
Easement	Front	Tingley	8	-	1,152
Easement	Granite	Wood	10	-	876
Easement	Jordan	Hobart	8	4	243
Easement	Lisle	Easement	8	-	143
Easement	M.D.C.	Easement	30	-	25
Easement	M.D.C.	Easement	12	-	20
Easement	M.D.C.	Sta. 0 + 25	8	-	25
Easement	Pearl	Easement	12	-	1,222
Easement	Sta. 0 + 25	Congress	10	-	199
Easement	Sun Valley	Robbie	8	-	141
Easement	Tingley	Magnolia	8	-	411
Forest St.	Liberty	Birch	8	12	829
Fountain St.	Sagamore	Columbus	8	6	260
Grace Rd.	Alida	Summit	8	-	611
Granite St.	Existing Sewer	Easement	10	-	712
Hatch Ave.	Robbie	Easterly & Westerly	8	-	386
Hayward St.	Shaw	Marietta	8	12	827
Hayward St.	Easement	Huntley	8	11	735
Helen Rd.	Norfolk	Louise	8	-	501
Hickory Rd.	Hemlock	Liberty	8	18	871
Highland Ave. East	Hayward	Northerly	8	4	266
Hilliard Ct.	Jersey	Spruce	8	4	325
Holly Rd.	Hickory	End	8	8	325
Howard Ct.	Howard	Westerly	8	6	345

<u>Location</u>	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>Pipe Size</u>	<u>Houses Served</u>	<u>Length Feet</u>
Howard St.	Easement	Summit	8	15	745
Jersey Ave.	Hunt	River	8	14	588
Jordan Circle	Sheppard	End	8	6	318
Kenmore Rd.	Amherst	Easterly & Westerly	8	3	79
Lisle St. Ext.	Sta. 8 + 53	Sta. 10 + 38	8	-	185
Lisle St. Ext.	Sta. 10 + 38	Sta. 14 + 23	8	-	385
Magnolia St.	No. Bowditch	Westerly	8	7	257
Marisa Dr.	Sheraton	Easterly	8	-	612
No. Bowditch St.	Magnolia	Wilkins	8	-	525
Pearl St.	Main Sewer	Rock	12	-	648
Pleasant View Ave.	Argyle	Easterly & Westerly	8	13	375
Poplar St.	Easement	Cypress	8	5	300
Portland Rd.	Amherst	Coveney	8	6	383
Robbie Rd.	Sun Valley	Hatch	8	-	351
Sagamore St.	Easement	Easement	8	20	1,027
Spring St.	Congress	Sta. 2 + 10	10	2	210
Spring St.	Sta. 2 + 10	Sta. 6 + 05	8	8	395
Sun Valley Dr.	Lisle	Robbie	8	-	763
Tingley Rd.	Easement	Cypress	8	6	274
Washington St.	Existing Sewer	Virginia	8	7	625
Wood Rd.	Sta. 27 + 15	Sta. 30 + 66	10	-	351
<u>Totals</u>				282	31,985

Total 1963 Construction	6.1 Miles
Previous Construction	<u>66.4 Miles</u>
Total Constructed to Date	72.5 Miles

Five separate contracts for sewer construction were let as follows:

<u>Contract No.</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Contractor</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Per Cent Completed</u>
1.	Apr. 20	Q R S Corporation	\$ 53,740	100%
2.	Aug. 19	DiMascio Bros. & Co.	139,970	90%
3.	Sept. 6	Susi & DeSantis Co., Inc.	225,975	35%
4.	Oct. 10	Q R S Corporation	213,770	22%
5.	Dec. 12	Piatelli Construction Corporation	367,940	-
<u>Total</u>			\$1,001,395	

Work will continue in easements during the winter months on contracts #2 and #5. No more work will be done on contracts #3 and #4 until spring.

Surveys are now going on for an extension of the Farm River interceptor sewer between Granite Street and West Street, funds for which were appropriated at the Special Town Meeting held October 29.

All of the work remaining from two contracts let the year before has been completed.

A total of 4,863 feet of sewers in the following streets, included in the above list, were constructed by and at the expense of private developer under the supervision of the Sewer Department: Alida Road 260'; Easement 535'; Easement 141'; Grace Road 611'; Hatch Avenue 386'; Helen Road 501'; Jordan Circle 318'; Lisle Street Extension 385'; Marisa Drive 612'; Robbie Road 351'; Sun Valley Drive 763'.

On August 17, all of the sewage from Braintree Highlands was permanently diverted into the M.D.C. Randolph trunk sewer by a 12-inch connection 20 feet long just below the Walworth Manufacturing Company plant in South Braintree.

The present sewer system can now serve 63% of all the buildings in the town.

Assessments:

Sewer assessments amounting to \$52,062.14 were levied againly 176 properties during the year.

Receipts from sewer assessments, reserved for appropriation, amounted to \$58,487.62 as of December 31.

House Connections:

There were 379 sewer connections, requiring 20,808 feet of pipe, completed during the year.

The new construction completed this year made the sewer available to serve 282 buildings and applications for connection were received from 249 of them.

Of the buildings that can be served by the present sewer system, 91% are connected with the sewer.

There were 143 applications for sewer connection on file at the end of the year.

Maintenance:

During the winter months all of the main sewers were inspected and most of the lateral sewers, 12-inches in diameter and under, were inspected and cleaned. There were five lateral sewer stoppages, two due to large stones deliberately placed to block the flow, one due to a root growth, one due to grease and one due to the incomplete removal of a construction bulkhead. There were 52 stoppages of sewer connections due to root growths. A leaking joining in the Brookside Road pumping station force main was repaired. A broken pipe in the Elm Street sewer at Hawthorn Road was replaced.

In January all of the sewer assessment and record sewer plans were micro-filmed and the film stored in a special vault of the Graphic Microfilm Company in New Hampshire. There were 421 plans 24" x 36" and 22 plans 9-1/2" x 14".

On June 6, when all electric power throughout the Town was lost the six sewage pumping stations were operated by emergency equipment without any overflowing.

On July 1, in accordance with a special act of the General Court last year and a contract with the M.D.C., the City of Quincy began using the facilities of the Howard Street pumping station to serve a low district in Quincy near the Braintree line.

For a number of years, the Sewer Department has been using the old Infirmary barn, carriage shed and chicken house for equipment storage and maintenance purposes. In addition to being a fire hazard, these buildings are entirely inadequate and in poor repair, and are not worth spending any money on. The exterior of the east side of the barn was badly damaged by a grass fire last spring, exposing rotten sills and studs.

Recommendations for 1964:

1. Continue forth year of 5-year plan for extension of lateral sewers at an accellerated rate: \$500,000
2. Construct a sewer maintenance and storage building of prefabricated steel: 65,000

Mr. Herbert J. Albee, a member of the Sewer Commission since October 1960, resigned September 1. Mr. Albee's experience and interest in construction work and Town affairs made his service and advice invaluable. Mr. A. Winton Caird was appointed September 9 to fill the vacancy on the Sewer Board.

Excellent cooperation and valuable assistance were received from all other Departments and Committees of the Town throughout the year, which is greatly appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE F. BROUSSEAU
Superintendent

REPORT OF BRAINTREE AIRPORT COMMISSION - 1963

William G. Brooks, Chairman

John W. Murphy
William K. Stewart

Gordon H. Robinson
George T. Woodsum

The Braintree Municipal Airport, located off West St. near Old Route 128 on Town owned property, is registered with the Massachusetts Aeronautics Commission as a Commercial Landing Field at latitude 40 degrees 12' 20" and longitude 72 degrees 02' 25" and is operated under the direction of the Braintree Airport Commission.

The 2300 foot runway, 100 feet wide, is operated under strict rules as specified by the Massachusetts Aeronautics Commission, with an Airport Manager as prescribed by the Commonwealth. All members of the operating group, commission and Airport Association, serve without compensation. In the 17 years of operation of the airport, the Commission has had no financial budget from the Town of Braintree.

Fourteen years ago the Braintree Town Meeting Members appropriated \$1,000.00 to assist in building the runway but through the 17 years of operation private interests, aviators and persons interested in aviation have raised over \$75,000.00 to build and keep the aviation field in excellent condition. Thousands of hours of hard labor have been donated to change the original low swamp area, which was a mosquito breeding tract of land, to build one of the best small airports in New England.

The Braintree Airport is an important factor in attracting new industrial and business firms to settle in Braintree. The Braintree Industrial and Business Development Commission, with over 1,000 acres of land zoned for industry, can truly state that Braintree is the only town on the South Shore with complete town owned municipal services, including a municipal airport, water system and electric power plant.

Thousands of small planes are now used by business executives to travel to distant points and transact important business with a great saving of time. The Braintree Airport is becoming a popular place for many business men to land their planes in the immediate area of their business locations and avoid a tedious trip from Norwood or Boston to the South Shore. Telephone facilities at the airport make it possible to secure quick transportation to local areas.

The Braintree Municipal Airport is located in an area far distant from the main residential section of the town. The pattern of approach and departure for planes is away from the town through the unpopulated Blue Hill area and the site has been declared by State Airport Authorities as one of the best in the Commonwealth.

The Braintree Airport Commission appreciates the cooperation of the Braintree Water Department for their sincere cooperation in making the Braintree Airport one of the important municipal facilities of the growing Town of Braintree.

REPORT OF THE BRAINTREE INDUSTRIAL & BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR YEAR 1963

William G. Brooks, Chairman; Charles R. Furlong, Secretary; John O. Holden, Treasurer; William B. Webber, Archie T. Morrison, Paul H. Young (Selectmen); Frederick J. Klay (Planning Board); Warren J. Cuff (Assessors); Donato T. Richardi (Water Dept.); Carl W. R. Johnson (Electric Light Dept.); and Gerald J. Gray (Sewer Dept.).

Braintree's successful expansion in Industry and Business during the year 1963 can best be expressed by quoting a front page news release in the October issue of the magazine "Commerce Digest", published by the Massachusetts Department of Commerce as follows: "Braintree to use a colloquialism "Never Had It So Good. "What was hardly more than a suburban bedroom community for Boston, has now become one of the most industrialized towns on the South Shore. This transformation has taken place within the last five years, most of it during the latter half of that period.

"The expansion of Braintree with thriving new industrial and commercial business has been one of the real success stories of Massachusetts."

"Location has played an important role, but perhaps over and above that, the cooperative and aggressively friendly attitude of the community leaders has also been a major factor."

"For obvious reasons much of the expansion has taken place at or near the three throughways, Route 128, New Route 3 and the Southeast Expressway and State Route 37, all important to shippers and retailers for heavy traffic."

"Braintree's Planning Board and Business & Industrial Commission proved far sighted in their advanced planning over a period of 15 years and the 1000 acre zoned industrial areas, has provided the town with nine business and industrial locations, which cannot encroach upon or mar the residential sections of the picturesque town.

"For years excessive residential expansion forced enlargement of the school system, more town services and higher property taxes. Advent of the South Shore Plaza Shopping Center, one of the finest and most successful in New England with 49 stores, plus the spurt in new business and industrial building, permitted the assessors to decrease the tax rate in 1962 by \$5.00 per \$1,000.00 valuation and in 1963 add only \$1.00 to the rate, while many towns showed major increases during these years.

In the last 2-1/2 years Town Meeting Members have accepted the recommendations of the Industrial Commission and voted to install three major trunk sewer lines to service several new industrial plants, that had taken options on desirable land, if sewers were made available. The Industrial Commission is pleased to state that the companies requiring sewer connections have built plants or have announced dates to commence construction of buildings. These major investments will pay big dividends in coming years to the taxpayers of Braintree and will service several hundred homes in addition to industrial and business enterprises.

The Wood Road sewer, completed this past summer, was built with the understanding that the owners of 65 acres of land on New Wood Road on the North Side of Route 128 would build and pay for water lines, fire hydrants, sewers and roads through their property, if the Town of Braintree installed the trunk line sewer to the entrance of the "Plaza Industrial Center." This group of four property owners completed and paid for their road and service installations six months in advance of the completion of the main sewer line. This new 2,000 foot black top road is now ready to service the remaining 60 acres of desirable land bordering Route 128. In early January the Wollaston Alloys Inc. foundry and the Henry Jenkins Transportation Co. moved into their new plants on Wood Road. The C. Healy Co., Thomas H. Hannaford, Pres. are building a 49,300 square foot industrial building with 4 front entrances and 8 loading platforms in the rear, designed for multiple occupancy. The interior will be finished to the specifications of the occupants. Large parking areas have been built at the sides and in the rear of the building. The view from this location is one of the most picturesque in New England and the four major highways are less than 3 minutes away and Boston can be reached in less than 14 minutes. The Red Coach Grill Co. recently announced that building operations will commence on their 4 acre plot on Granite St. opposite the entrance to Route 128, for a \$500,000.00 Red Coach Grill to be ready for occupancy in early fall of 1964.

The second sewer line, for which Town Meeting Members appropriated \$400,000.00 to service the Braintree Coca Cola Bottling Co. on Granite Street, on 6-1/2 acres of land in the "Messina Granite St. Industrial Center" has been approved for 30% Federal aid and will now cost the Town approximately \$280,000.00. This sewer is now being installed by the Piatelli Const. Co. of Pond St., South Braintree as the lowest bidders, at a cost of \$369,995.00. The aim of the Braintree Sewer Dept. is to complete this installation by April 1964. This trunk line sewer will service 2 industrial centers and later 3 and over 400 residential homes. Three separate sewer gangs are working through the winter months to complete the work on specified date.

The new Braintree Coca Cola Bottling Plant of 70,000 square feet, costing \$1,000,000.00 for plant and equipment, was completely housed in before the severe winter weather arrived. The plant sets back 200 feet from Granite St. as called for by zoning regulations and will have a spacious grass plot and shrubs to beautify the approach to the most modern installation of the World Wide Coca Cola Company operation. The Messina Industrial Center on Granite St. now includes 120 acres for future industrial and business expansion with sewer, water, gas and electricity available.

This sewer installation will also serve the newly announced Campanelli Industrial Park of approximately 40 acres adjoining the Messina Center. Beside the present Campanelli Bros. buildings and lumber yard on the property, 24 acres of land are available for new industrial or business installations. This company has recently purchased land at the left of their present buildings and the existing lumber yard is to be moved to the left of the administrative building, leaving the 24 acres of preferred land serviced by water, sewers, gas and power with roads for several new plants. The Campanelli Trust new \$38,000.00 garage was added this past year.

The third sewer appropriation of \$130,000.00 voted at the Special Town Meeting this past year, to service the \$1,000,000.00 building of the Tubular Rivet & Stud plant, on West St., Old Route 128, on property formerly owned by Alexander and Mary Dymsha, once the Ferguson Riding School farm, with an area of 34.8 acres, is now being studied for installation by the Braintree Sewer Dept. and is planned for August 1964 completion. Negotiations are under way for Federal appropriation of 30% for this installation. 92 homes will eventually be serviced from this main sewer line in addition to the industrial property.

Tubular Rivet & Stud, established in Quincy almost 100 years ago, has purchased this property and a recent newspaper release states that building operations have been fully sanctioned by parent companies and building operations will commence in early spring, with a target date of August 1964 for plant operations to commence. This company, a division of the Townsend Co. of Beaver Falls, Pennsylvania, was established in 1816. This large group of plants was purchased by Textron Inc. of Providence, Rhode Island, a National Company with many plants producing a variety of products throughout the United States. Officials of the Tubular Rivet & Stud Co. state that operations will be moved from the Wollaston plant to Braintree when buildings are completed. Approximately 300 persons will be employed in the new stream line 130,000 square foot building.

Announcement was made on October 21, 1963 after 1-1/2 years of negotiations that the Boston Gear Works of North Quincy a division of the Murray Corporation of Texas Inc., Dallas, Texas, has purchased 80 acres of land from the Prosperity Development Corporation, through Joseph Della Valle, President of Fort Lauderdale, Florida. This parcel of land is located on the southern side of Columbian Street, Old Route 128, bordered on the west by the high tension line of the Boston Edison Co. and largely on the east by the Weymouth Town line. The acquisition of land will be used for future expansion of Boston Gear Works operations. This company expects to continue to utilize its present facilities in Quincy. The Gear Works was founded in 1877 and produces a complete line of stock gears and power transmissions. The Prosperity area, on the Weymouth side of Braintree to Holbrook, contains 400 acres of land zoned for industry and 200 acres zoned for Class A housing of 25,000 square feet per lot, for residential housing.

The Ainslie Corporation at 531 Pond Street, South Braintree, completed a 15,000 square foot \$75,000.00 addition to their present modern plant for executive, engineering and manufacturing facilities. Four years ago this company chose Braintree for their manufacturing operations, on a 15 acre site. Two years ago the company added a 7500 sq. ft. building for additional engineering and manufacturing space.

The Pond Street Messina Industrial Center has had extensive expansion this past year with the addition of the Hixon Electric Co. \$78,000.00, 6700 square foot brick and masonry structure. G. Malcolm Hixon, president and treasurer of this industrial and institutional electrical contracting company has been a life long resident of Braintree. The Republic Floors Inc. have completed a

6,000 square foot manufacturing building including office and warehouse in the area adjoining the Hixon Electric plant. Last fall this Nationwide Manufacturer and Distributor of "Sports Floors" started construction of an addition to their plant to double the capacity of their operation. These two new plants adjoin the 21,000 sq. ft. steel and concrete structure of the Whiting Milk Company who employs approximately 225 people and operate 125 refrigerated trucks to deliver Whiting products on the South Shore. This company chose Braintree as the center of their delivery operations with easy access to all highways. At the extreme end of the Messina Pond St. Center the F. E. Daddario Corporation has constructed a massive equipment garage for heavy equipment and as a storage center.

The Carlino "Roc Sam" 18 acre Industrial Park on Pond Street adjoining the Messina Center, has taken on a new look with the demolition of the old original homestead, garage and office. Recently the Piatelli Construction Corporation have moved into a new office building and large equipment Center for heavy sewer equipment. Guy Tesaro of Braintree has opened the new Jamaica Oil Co. office building and garage in the adjoining area. Felix Carlino has a new Gasoline and Service Station under construction on the site of the original Carlino garage and office.

The new Valle's \$394,000.00 Steak House at the junction of Union Street and the Southeast Expressway and new Route 3, now under construction will have a building area of 27,000 square feet on a 5 acre plot of land with parking facilities for 500 cars. The auditorium and banquet hall of over 6,000 sq. ft. will be used for trade shows and exhibitions. This site on L. Grossman & Sons property is located on one of the most strategic highway areas in New England with on and off ramps to the Expressway going both north and south, directly in front of the restaurant location. Over 40,000 yards of fill was used to bring the restaurant site at the height of the major highway. This fill was taken from Upper Great Pond, one of Braintree's major water supply areas, and will allow over 5 million gallons of new water storage capacity in upper Great Pond. L. Grossman & Sons have also built new buildings this past year as follows: storage building \$91,125.00, addition to store \$3,500.00, storage building \$41,225.00, and commercial garage \$19,500.00. The Grossman warehouse building formerly occupied by Proctor and Gamble, located on Ivory Street, is now occupied by the Carter Rice Paper Company. Proctor & Gamble has built a new warehouse adjoining their manufacturing plant in Quincy.

In August of 1963 the F. Leroy Fox, Inc. formerly of 65 Franklin St., Boston, moved into a new building at 196 Plain St., South Braintree, on land of the South Shore Metal Products Co. This company, founded in 1927 is engaged in the construction of commercial and industrial buildings.

The Forbes two story building of C. Healy Co., Thos. H. Hannaford, Pres. located on Forbes Road on the South side of Route 128, is now almost completely occupied with the following tenants: Albee, Harrold and Hirth, Engineering Consultants; Shelby Mutual Insurance Co., Aetna Casualty and Surety Co., Massachusetts Mutual Insurance Co., A. Kimball & Son, Division of Litton Industries, Craftsman Life Insurance Co., C. L. Guild Construction Co., Associated Schools, C. Healy Co. Thos. H. Hannaford, Pioneer Carmer Co., E. Wallace Pyne Co., Accountant, F. E. Barret, Jr., Attorney, F. J. Weiner Co., Celler & Celler, Accountants, Industrial Union Department, Crysler Leasing Corp., Hazeltine Corp. Electro Acoustic System Laboratory, Libby McNeal and Libby and Arthur G. Curren Co. The 40 alley Bowling Alley formerly Hollywood Lanes is now the Braintree Lanes under the owner management of C. Healy Co., Thos. H. Hannaford. The extensive parking areas for the Forbes Building and ideal location on the South side of Route 128 has been a major feature in attracting regional companies with agencies on all major highways.

Braintree is fast becoming a "Regional Insurance Area" with Shelby, Aetna, Mass. Mutual, Craftsman, Liberty Mutual, and Lumbermans with Regional Headquarters now located in Braintree the "Capitol of the South Shore."

Other new additions to Braintree's building program in the year 1963 are T. J. Flatley Apartment Buildings, 12 units \$300,000.00 in area opposite Braintree Post Office, Henry Pompeo Braintree Hlds. Office and Store additions, George Ross modernization of Office Building at 5 Corners, King Optical Co. addition to office building, Anthony J. DiBona, Machine Shop, Paul Swezey addition to Company Garage, 3 new Gasolene and Lubritorium Stations, Mansfield Belyea New Lubritorium, New Baptist Church Washington Street, Addition to Dr. Allen's Dental Office South Braintree Radio Tower Station W.J.D.A. on Blueberry Hill. John Deere Building of Conner Motor Company, and others.

The fast growing 100 acre South Shore Plaza Shopping Center located at the junction of all major highways has completed Phase 1 and is now working on Phase 2 for further expansion from the present 49 stores with 3,000 parking stations without meters to the aim of 90 stores with 7,000 parking places. The Plaza report for the year 1963 from Paul Lowney, General Manager is as follows: "The year 1963 was a banner year for South Shore Plaza. The number of stores has grown to 49 with the opening of Fischer's Bakery and Doran's Delicatessen. Also in 1963 South Shore Plaza added an Optometrist's Office, Ann Taylor, a women's sportswear shop, Lane Bryant, Singer Sewing Machine Co., a Gulf Service Station and a 300 seat Meeting Room. The Meeting Room has been offered, for a minimum charge, to any South Shore Civic Group. With the opening of the Meeting Room, South Shore Plaza hopes to become a community center as well as a center for shopping, on the South Shore."

"South Shore Plaza's 50th store will be open in early 1964. The progress South Shore Plaza has shown in 1963 has been a tremendous one. More and more people from a widening market area are now visiting South Shore Plaza. With the addition of the new tenants, South Shore Plaza's square footage now stands at approximately 500,000."

"With establishments such as the Rib Room and Tivoli House Restaurants, Charter House Hotel, James David Shoe, the Finishing Touch, and the Liberty Mutual Insurance office, all of which opened in 1962, South Shore Plaza is widening its shopping range."

Braintree has a bright future with many prospects for added business and industrial building. Please remember that immediate tax reduction cannot be expected until buildings are completed. Much time is consumed in completing plans and large buildings take many months to build and outfit with machinery. Major sewer lines must be paid for by the first buildings erected in new industrial areas. Without sewers and water lines and complete service facilities large industrial plants cannot operate. Once these services are installed new taxes will help to reduce tax rates. At the present time necessary salary increases for school and town employees together with demands for major town improvements will definitely call for Luxury High Rise Apartment Buildings to furnish additional revenue and housing for people whose families have graduated from the family homestead. These buildings should be located in one area of Braintree that now houses only business and industrial buildings.

The Braintree Industrial Commission appreciates the splendid cooperation of all Braintree Officials and Service Commissions during the past year. All leads to new prospects who wish to build in Braintree should be referred to members of the Industrial Commission.

WILLIAM G. BROOKS

REPORT OF ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT - 1963

CHESTER F. LANGTRY, Town Engineer

The Engineering Department has carried out the usual activities during the past year. This office serves as a central information agency for providing all types of information to the people of Braintree concerning land developments, land use and information regarding planning and zoning.

A number of services were carried out for other Town departments, as follows:

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

Betterment plans were made, cost estimates were figured and sidewalks were staked out on the following streets:

- Elliot Street-east side-from Walnut Street to Stetson Street
- Faxon Street-west side-from Commercial Street to Stetson Street
- French Avenue-both sides-from Holbrook Avenue to Union Street
- Lakeside Drive-north side-from Walnut Street to Lakeside School
- Maple Street-west side-from Hollis Avenue to Monatiquot Avenue
- River Street-south side-from Arnold Street to Middle Street
- Stetson Street-north side-from Brookside Road to Elliot Street
- Walnut Street-east side-from No. 191 to No. 257
- Willard Street-east side-from Stetson Street to Claremont Street

Street layout plans were made of the following:

- Belknap Road - from Cain Avenue to Cranmore Road
- Birch Street - from Forest Street to Daniel Road
- Forbes Road - from Granite Street to end
- Helen Road - from Norfolk Road to Doris Road
- Norfolk Road - from Helen Road to Middle Street
- Old Country Way - from No. 255 to South Street
- Selwyn Road - from Court Road to Cain Avenue
- Tower Hill Road - from Pond Street to end
- Winter Street - from Forest Street to Daniel Road

Gutter grades were established on Nickerson Road, Mt. Vernon Street, Birchcroft Road and Washington Street.

Drains were staked out on French Avenue and Hayward Street and the Central Avenue drain was re-staked.

Forbes Road was staked out and grades established; Winthrop Avenue and Forest Street were re-staked.

Lot corners were replaced at 53 Forest Street.

PLANNING BOARD

Revised subdivision plans and made several changes that were referred back to the subdivider.

Reviewed proposed subdivision changes and offered several suggestions.

WATER DEPARTMENT

Staked street lines on Gordon Road and Aspinwall Road.
Provided deeds and plans for the Crowley Pit Taking.
Located all fuel tanks at all pumping stations.

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Layouts were made for stop signs at the intersections of the following streets:

Common Street and Washington Street
Commercial Street and Adams Street
Division Street and Liberty Street

PARK DEPARTMENT

Located property lines at Beechwood Road and Vinedale Road for Parking Area.

Staked out Little League Ball Field off Pond Street.

MISCELLANEOUS

Staked lot at No. 69 Hillside Road (Veterans Housing).

Plans and prints were furnished the Industrial Development Commission upon request.

Furnished plan of land known as "Pond Meadows" off Liberty Street to the Conservation Committee.

Street lines were staked on Carter Road, Dewey Road, Edgehill Road, Hillcrest Road, Somerville Avenue, Trefton Drive and West Street.

One thousand deeds were processed for the Board of Assessors and the necessary changes made on plans and records.

All subdivision plans from the Registry of Deeds were processed and changes made on Assessors Plans.

One hundred sixty two new buildings were located and plotted on Assessors Plans, together with two hundred ten additions.

Mr. Harold C. Pearl, the Town Engineer who served the Town since May 2, 1955, reached the mandatory retirement age and left the Town's service as of July 1, 1963. During the period from July 1st to November 4th the Town had no Town Engineer, but the functions of the Department were ably carried out by the Senior Engineering Aides and other departmental personnel until the new Town Engineer became associated with the Town on the 4th of November.

This department has received considerable assistance from other departments, which is properly appreciated.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE
BRAINTREE ELECTRIC LIGHT DEPARTMENT - 1963

Your Commissioners submit the Annual Report of the Braintree Electric Light Department for the year ending December 31, 1963.

ERNEST S. REYNOLDS, Chairman
CARL W. R. JOHNSON, Secretary
WALTER J. HANSEN

MANAGER'S REPORT TO THE MUNICIPAL LIGHT BOARD

Gentlemen:

The Braintree Electric Light Department has completed its 71st year of service to the Town and its occupants. The past year has, in the overall picture, been one of continued growth and prosperity. The last three months of the year showed signs of decreasing peak loads with the Kwh. output on some weeks dropping behind that of the previous year. Peak load, which normally occurs during the Christmas Season, did not exceed 26,900 Kw. as compared with 27,500 Kw. established in 1962. The Kilowatt hour output for December, 1963, exceeded that of 1962 by 3.8% for a new high of 12,078,000 Kwh. in one month.

Rising costs, in all areas of operation, are increasing the cost per Kwh. delivered to the Customer. On the other hand, increasing customer usage which extends billing to the lowest steps on our rates, is decreasing our rate of return per Kwh. sold. The compensating factors against these two trends (increasing costs and decreasing returns) are higher sales volume with lower incremental returns and greater efficiency in the method of generating and distributing power.

The following comparison of 1963 and 1962 Sales shows an increase of 4.22% for the year 1963:

	<u>1963 - Kwh.</u>	<u>1962 - Kwh.</u>	<u>Increase</u>	<u>Percent</u>
Residential	40,042,248	38,784,058	1,258,190	3.25%
Commercial	3,835,999	3,697,037	138,962	3.87%
Large Commercial	24,763,898	21,534,828	3,229,070	15.0%
Industrial	37,976,740	38,447,680	70,940(dec.)	1.23%
Municipal	3,543,423	3,255,947	287,476	8.85%
Street Lights	2,420,537	2,307,612	112,925	4.88%
	<u>112,582,845</u>	<u>108,027,162</u>	<u>4,555,683</u>	<u>4.22%</u>

The following comparison between 1963 and 1953 sales will show the extent that the Light Department has grown over the past 10 years. No. 3 generator at Allen Street was installed in 1953. #1 Unit at Potter Station in 1959

	<u>1963 - Kwh.</u>	<u>1953 - Kwh.</u>	<u>Increase</u>	<u>Percent</u>
Residential	40,042,248	19,029,644	21,012,604	110%
Commercial	3,835,999	3,715,534	120,465	3.24%
Large Commercial	24,763,898	1,771,083	22,992,815	1294.2%
Industrial	37,976,740	19,435,838	18,540,902	95.6%
Municipal	3,543,423	1,588,264	1,955,159	123.0%
Street Lights	2,420,527	901,928	1,518,609	167.0%
	<u>112,582,845</u>	<u>46,442,291</u>	<u>66,140,554</u>	<u>143.0%</u>

This chart shows that the total sales for 1963 were 143% higher than those of 1953. Greatest increase of sales occurred when Walworths and the Shopping Plaza joined our system. I anticipate that 1964 will again be a year of heavy increase because of the continued activity of housing, particularly electrically heated homes, and many new commercial establishments moving into Town.

REPORT ON PRODUCTION DEPARTMENT

The first step in more efficient generation in the Department was taken in 1959 when the Norton P. Potter Station was placed in service. Records show that this unit has done remarkably well in performance and low maintenance costs. Many favourable and complimentary comments from the top operating and design engineers in the power station field assure me that we have one of the best designed and most efficient small generating plants in the nation. Operating and maintenance personnel at this Plant are to be commended for their efficiency and effectiveness in keeping the operating and maintenance costs at a minimum. Preliminary studies and engineering necessary to increase capacity at this Station should be started at an early date in order to be prepared for construction work and expansion of this Plant at the opportune time.

Complete overhaul of the #1 Unit at Potter Station was performed during the month of August. While many repairs and corrections were made, nothing of a major nature was encountered. This unit should now be capable of operating three to five years with minimum amount of overhaul work.

Minimum inspection of turbine generators at Allen Street Station was carried out during September and October. No serious problems existed on any of these units but I anticipate that more extensive work will be necessary on this equipment during 1964.

Boilers and auxiliary equipment at Allen Street were also inspected and placed in condition for the coming year's service. The largest repair job was replacement of air heater tubes in #5 boiler.

Fuel oil storage facilities at Allen Street Station required extensive repairs during 1963. Foundations under the four 30,000 gallon tanks were installed approximately 40 years ago. Continued shifting and settling during these years resulted in failure of #2 tank supports on July 2, 1963. This failure damaged the tank extensively (which at the time was full of oil) and settling of the tank twisted the I beam supports under the remaining three tanks.

Oil released from #2 tank, from broken oil lines, seeped through the ground and into the Monatiquot River. Since oil seepage into the river can be a serious problem, immediate steps were taken to prevent repetition of this occurrence.

Foundations under all tanks have been replaced with separate concrete supports for each tank and a heavy concrete mat under the entire installation. Adequate drainage sump storage have been installed with necessary pumping facilities to prevent future spills from seeping into the River. By the use of more modern heating equipment and re-arranging of the oil pipe lines, the overall flexibility, efficiency and safety of the oil handling equipment has been greatly improved.

The addition of two diesel generating units installed at Plain Street Sub-Station and placed in service in July, 1963 has increased our total generating capability to 41,000 Kw.

The diesel equipment is designed to be operated as a non-attended station and will be remotely controlled by the operator at Allen Street Station. Delay was experienced in obtaining the remote control equipment but we expect to have it in service early in 1964. Use of the diesel generators was necessary during the December peak as the Plain Street transformers and the Allen Street tie line would have been overloaded during this peak season. The Plain Street location for the diesel generating units was selected after careful consideration of loading conditions in various parts of Town. While the primary objective of the diesel units is to furnish peak capacity, their proper location on a system extends their usefulness to cover various emergencies and voltage regulation problems. While our experience with them is still limited, they have demonstrated their usefulness and the value of this installation.

ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING AND MAINTENANCE DEPARTMENT

This one unit of our operation under one Department head is the main coordinating influence of all operating and maintenance functions. This Department operation covers all electrical design, engineering and maintenance problems in our generating Stations and Sub-Stations. It covers all meter engineering, meter installations, meter turn offs and turn ons. It is the first vital contact with new customers from the largest industrial to the commercial and residential. All problems of service voltage and voltage regulation must clear through this Department. All service on our customers' ranges and water heaters also come under this Department head. All pole records, new pole installations, removals, replacements and repairs are also completed through this office. All transformers records and street light records as well as all Town maps, feeder maps, secondary network maps necessary to the Department operation are kept in the Electrical Engineering office. Daily kilowatt hour output and peak load charts, which are so essential to the plant records for future planning are also kept in this office.

This short description of the Electrical Engineering and Maintenance Department at this time is particularly significant as twenty years ago the Department was non-existent. This area of operation has grown out of a natural requirement of an electrical utility operation to function around and through its electrical engineering department. As of this time, our Electrical Engineering and Maintenance Department has not reached its full effectiveness and I fully recommend that steps be taken to correct this weakness in our organization.

While one major disaster was averted by the quick action of our operating and maintenance personnel during the failure of #2 fuel tank supports, we were unable to prevent major damage to our 15 KVA switchgear at Allen Street on June 6, 1963 when lightning damaged a 15 KV air circuit breaker. Arcing caused by this lightning stroke started a fire that was supported by the insulating material in the switchgear. This insulation fire, which is only possible by high temperature, could not be controlled by ordinary fire extinguishers. All fire extinguishers at the plant were exhausted and the fire which produced very toxic gases continued. It was brought under control only after firemen with gas masks and water hose had cooled the equipment below the combustion point. This fire started at 9:25 P.M. and was under control at approximately 11:30. During this period, thirteen units of switchgear used to serve all parts of the Town were completely destroyed. The remaining switchgear required considerable cleaning because of water and smoke damage, but by 5:15 A.M. the first section of Town was restored. By 2:07 P.M. June 7, 1963, the entire Town was again back in service on limited power usage. Full power was restored at 7:30 P.M. on June 7th. Much credit is due to our personnel and to the General Electric Company representatives who worked long hours under adverse and hazardous conditions to make the necessary repairs.

Replacement switchgear was received from the General Electric factory at Philadelphia within seven weeks and replacement of the entire thirteen units was completed sixty-six days after the fire.

I wish to express my appreciation to our faithful employees and our suppliers who accomplished so much in such a short period of time under adverse conditions.

New equipment has been added at Allen Street and at Station 8, South Shore Plaza to save the new 15 KV lines now under construction.

Material has been received to install reactors in three generator neutrals, replacing the present neutral resistors which are not correct for servicing 15 KV distribution feeders.

LINE DEPARTMENT

New construction work has been the main objective of this Department during 1963. The area from South Shore Plaza to the Randolph line including all side streets has been completely rebuilt for 15 KV distribution. This line will also serve the many new industries developing along Granite and Pond Streets. This area was served by two 4160 V feeders, one from Plain St. Station via Pond St., the other from Cleveland Ave. Station with load center at Five Corners. This new 15 KV feeder will relieve both of these feeders and will also serve the new Coca Cola Plant as well as the Tubular Rivet Plant to be constructed on West St. This area is now almost ready for cut-over which should be completed sometime in March.

North Braintree area consisting of Elm St. with all its side streets from the Southeast Expressway to Commercial St., has also been under construction for 15 KV. It also will be ready for cut-over about the last part of March. The installation of 16.3 new residential services represents considerable work and extension of our present facilities in various parts of Town. One unusual feature this year on line construction has been the large number of replacing services, where the customers have exceeded the capacity of the existing 30 or 60 ampere service and makes the necessary change to 100 amperes now standard for all new services.

A new truck replaced our old unit #3 which was purchased in 1955. This new unit, our first cab over engine unit, has proved to be a very adaptable and efficient unit.

REPAIRS AND NEW CONSTRUCTION FOR 1964

In the Production Department no real major repairs are anticipated during the coming year. #2 generator at Allen Street will be the first unit to be overhauled. The nozzle block which was scheduled for 1963 will be replaced at an early date.

A review of our cable capacities to the sub-stations shows that we are short on peak capacity to serve Plain Street Station. However, the relief expected from the 15 KV distribution construction on Pond Street will relieve this situation. The same condition is also true for Cleveland Avenue Station. With the diesel generating units at Plain Street back-up protection is there in case of cable failure. At this time no major cable installations appear necessary during the coming year.

Transformer capacity at Plain Street and Cleveland Avenue can be increased by 25% by installation of cooling fans. I recommend that this be done at an early date next year. I do not recommend that a third 15 KV distribution feeder

be started in 1964. Time should be taken to become accustomed to operation with the present two feeders in service. This should be a year to consolidate and complete the present 15 KV areas. Readjustment of feeder loading at Allen Street, Plain Street and Cleveland Avenue will be necessary as these three station feeders will be affected by the 15 KV distribution feeders.

Pearl Street reconstruction will require changes in the present distribution system serving customers in the Pearl Street industrial area.

In my report of 1962, I recommended that the office site and equipment be studied in order to bring our equipment and facilities up to date. I strongly recommend that some action be taken in this direction during 1964 as changes of this nature require considerable time.

I wish to take this opportunity to express my appreciation to the Municipal Light Board for their counsel and guidance during the year. I also take pride in the loyalty and effort of all our employees in making it possible for all our citizens to enjoy a higher standard of living by Living Better Electrically.

To the Selectmen and all Town Officials and Employees who have aided in so many ways, I wish to express my sincere thanks and appreciation for your co-operation and assistance.

Respectfully submitted,

ALBAN G. SPURRELL
Manager

SALES OF ELECTRICITY

		Kwh.	Revenue
Residential	A Rate	40,042,248	\$ 986,665.28
Small Power	B Rate	24,763,898	561,288.47
Commercial	C Rate	3,805,301	111,071.67
Commercial Heating	CH-1 Rate	30,698	1,057.78
Industrial	P Rate	37,976,740	587,793.78
Municipal		3,543,423	67,475.29
Street Lighting		2,420,537	44,755.73
		112,582,845	\$2,360,108.00

OPERATING EXPENSES

Fuel	\$ 595,726.27
Diesel Fuel	6,547.35
Other Operating Expenses	485,781.57
Maintenance	207,842.52
Depreciation	333,434.90
Employees Blue Cross and Insurance	6,793.04
Town of Braintree Retirement Fund	28,959.19
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$1,665,084.84

INCOME STATEMENT

Operating Revenue	\$2,360,108.00
Operating Expenses	<u>1,665,084.84</u>
Manufacturing Surplus	695,023.16
Miscellaneous Deductions	<u>356.43</u>
	\$ 694,666.73
Less Payment on Bonds	270,000.00
Less Interest on Bonds	106,618.76
Paid to Town of Braintree in lieu of taxes	<u>40,000.00</u>
Transferred to Profit and Loss Account	\$ 278,047.97

PROFIT AND LOSS STATEMENT

January 1, 1963, Balance	\$3,953,146.94
Transferred from Income	<u>278,047.97</u>
Balance, December 31, 1963	\$4,231,194.91

OPERATING CASH STATEMENT

Balance, January 1, 1963	.00
Cash received as per Cashbook (Accounts Receivable)	\$2,446,586.17
" " " " " (Anti-Trust Settlement)	49,292.53
(Allis Chalmers	\$ 613.73
(Westinghouse Elec.	1,059.30
(General Elec. Co.	47,119.50
(Worthington Corp.	<u>500.00</u>
	\$ 49,292.53*
Paid on Accounts Payable	1,656,180.78
Paid for Legal Fees	350.00
Paid to Depreciation	333,434.90
Transferred to Special Cash Account for Payment of Bonds & Interest	408,429.10
Transferred to Special Construction Acct. for N.P.P. Station (from Anti-Trust settlement)	47,619.50
Transferred to Special Account for General Plant Construction	9,864.42
Paid to Town of Braintree In Lieu of Taxes	40,000.00
Cash Balance, December 31, 1963	.00

*\$47,619.50 for New Construction At N. P. Potter Station
1,673.03 retained in Operating Fund for General Plant
 \$49,292.53*

SPECIAL CASH FOR PAYMENT OF BONDS & INTEREST

Balance, January 1, 1963	\$ 201,300.98
Transferred from Operating Fund during 1963	<u>408,429.10</u>
	\$ 609,730.08

Paid on Bonds

2-1-63	\$ 70,000.00
5-1-63	75,000.00
5-1-63	<u>125,000.00</u>
	\$270,000.00

Paid Interest on Bonds

2-1-63	\$ 6,125.00
5-1-63	16,800.00
5-1-63	32,937.50
8-1-63	5,512.50
11-1-63	15,750.00
11-1-63	31,000.00
	<u>\$108,125.00</u>

Total paid on Bonds and Interest	\$ 378,125.00
Balance, December 31, 1963	\$ 231,605.08

SPECIAL CONSTRUCTION FUND FOR NORTON P. POTTER STATION

Received on Anti-Trust Settlement -		
General Elec. Co.	\$ 47,119.50	
Worthington Corp.	<u>500.00</u>	
Balance, December 31, 1963		\$ 47,619.50

CONSTRUCTION FUND FOR GENERAL PLANT

Transferred from Operating Fund, December 31, 1963	\$ 9,864.42
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DEPRECIATION FUND

Balance, January 1, 1963	\$ 579,927.13
Transferred from Operating Fund	<u>333,434.90</u>
	\$ 913,362.02
Expended for Diesels and other Plant Equipment	<u>638,665.05</u>
Balance, December 31, 1963	\$ 274,696.98

SUMMARY OF CASH BALANCES, DECEMBER 31, 1963

Operating Cash	\$.00
Special Cash for Payment of Bonds and Interest	231,605.08
Special Construction Fund for Norton P. Potter Station	47,619.50
Construction Fund for General Plant	9,864.42
Depreciation Fund	274,696.98

SCHEDULE OF PAYMENTS DUE ON BONDS AND INTEREST DURING 1964

Issue of Feb. 1, 1952

Payment due on principal	2-1-64	\$ 70,000.00
Payment due on interest	2-1-64	5,512.50
Payment due on interest	8-1-64	<u>4,900.00</u>
		\$ 80,412.50

Issue of May 1, 1958

Payment due on principal	5-1-64	\$ 75,000.00
Payment due on interest	5-1-64	15,750.00
Payment due on interest	11-1-64	<u>14,700.00</u>
		\$ 105,450.00

Issue of May 1, 1959

Payment due on principal	5-1-64	\$	125,000.00
Payment due on interest	5-1-64		31,000.00
Payment due on interest	11-1-64		29,062.50
		\$	<u>185,062.50</u>

Total Due on Bonds and Interest in 1964	\$	<u>370,925.00</u>
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BALANCE SHEET

Assets

Plant Investment	\$8,928,231.17
Petty Cash	200.00
Special Cash for Payment of Bonds and Interest	231,605.08
Special Construction Fund for Norton P. Potter Station	47,619.50
Construction Fund for General Plant	9,864.42
Depreciation Fund	274,696.98
Special Deposits	15,878.82
Accounts Receivable	197,056.57
Materials and Supplies	105,273.09
Prepaid Insurance	<u>35,993.91</u>
TOTAL ASSETS	\$9,846,419.54

Liabilities

Loans Repayments	\$1,778,000.00
Appropriations for Construction Repayment	46,168.74
Profit and Loss	4,231,194.91
Bonds	3,755,000.00
Customers Deposits	15,878.82
Interest Accrued	<u>20,177.07</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$9,846,419.54

REPORT OF THE SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES FOR THE YEAR 1963

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I herewith submit the annual report as required by the General Laws, Chapter 98, Section 34. The weighing and measuring devices in the Town were tested and found in good condition. \$808.65 in sealing and adjusting fees was turned in to the Town Treasurer.

It is discouraging to note the growth of the business and industrial sections of the town, bringing with it an increasing demand of a part time Sealer's time without increased compensation for the additional work load.

I wish to thank the businessmen and Town Officials of Braintree for their continued cooperation.

Following is a summary of work done during the year:

	<u>Adjusted</u>	<u>Sealed</u>	<u>Not Sealed</u>	<u>Condemned</u>
Scales over 10,000 lbs.		4		
Scales 100 to 5,000 lbs.	1	37		1
Scales or balances under 100 lbs.	11	128		
Avoirdupois weights	10	86		
Metric weights		108		
Apothecary weights		98		
Vehicle Tank compartments		436		
Liquid measures, 1 gallon or under		26		
Meters, Inlet 1" or less				
Gasoline	25	166		
Oil, Grease		21	1	
Meters, Inlet more than 1"				
Vehicle tank	8	46		
Bulk storage	3	26		
Pumps, Kerosene, oil, grease		26	3	
Cloth measuring devices		3		
Yardsticks		3		
Totals	58	1208	4	1

Respectfully submitted,

CALVIN E. YOUNG
Sealer of Weights and Measures

BOARD OF APPEAL UNDER THE ZONING BY-LAW

Board of Selectmen
Town Hall
Braintree, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

The enabling act which authorizes Massachusetts cities and towns to enact zoning ordinances and by-laws to regulate and restrict the use of land and the use and construction of buildings, G.L., Ch. 40A, also provides for certain exceptions to the application of such ordinances and by-laws as may be enacted. One such exception, the non-conforming use, attaches to real estate simply because the use is more venerable than the ordinance or by-law with which it is in apparent conflict. The accessory use is non-statutory, and has developed through decisions of the Supreme Judicial Court. The variance is the more complex of exceptions in that there are statutory prerequisites that must be met by the applicant before the Board of Appeals can act favorably. To begin with, no one is entitled as of right to a variance from the terms of a valid zoning ordinance. As pointed out by the Court, "a land owner in a zoning district has a right to expect that zoning ordinances shall have a fair degree of permanency" and "variances are always in derogation of the zoning system". It is a corollary that the power to grant variances should be "sparingly exercised and only in rare instances and under exceptional circumstances peculiar in their nature, and with due regard to the main purpose of a zoning ordinance to preserve the rights i.e. the property rights of others".

For the past year this Board has acted upon twenty six (26) varying applications. Twenty (20) of which were granted, two (2) were denied, three (3) withdrawn and one (1) dismissed.

The Board of Appeals acts in a quasi-judicial capacity and it is incumbent upon the applicant to realize that it does not have the broad discretionary powers that some may allege. Being a statutory creature the Board so governs itself with full knowledge of the burdens that are submitted to it for consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

HYMAN BORAX
Chairman

1963 REPORT OF BUILDING INSPECTOR

Daniel A. Maloney - Building Inspector

Joseph H. Frazier - Deputy

Dwellings	106	1,413,570.00
Apartment Houses	3	225,000.00
Garages (Private)	24	39,400.00
Garages (Commercial)	4	69,500.00
Church	1	130,000.00
Athletic Stadium	1	35,000.00
Bottling Plant	1	503,808.00
Service Stations	3	52,000.00
Restaurant	1	394,000.00
Office Building	1	78,000.00
Garage and Office	1	35,000.00
Stores and office	1	6,000.00
Machine Shop	1	8,300.00
Warehouses	8	283,050.00
Greenhouse	1	3,000.00
Club House	1	3,000.00
Tool Sheds	3	1,300.00
Generator Unit	1	37,850.00
Storage Tank Supports	1	17,000.00
Poultry House	1	200.00
Auto Repair Shop	1	2,500.00
Summerhouse	1	500.00
Swimming Pools	8	16,850.00
Towers	2	2,875.00
Additions, Alterations and Repairs:		
Residential	223	325,129.00
Non-Residential	59	987,407.00
Elevators	2	
Relocations	1	
Razing	35	
Estimated value of construction		4,670,239.00
Permit fees		6,772.00
Building Code fees		51.00
Total permits issued		496

TOWN OF BRAINTREE
OFFICE OF THE TOWN ACCOUNTANT
DETAIL OF RECEIPTS & EXPENDITURES
FOR THE YEAR 1963

RECEIPTS
GENERAL REVENUE

Taxes

1963			
Real Estate	4,552,147.61		
Personal	149,462.25		
Poll	15,697.58	4,717,307.44	
1962			
Real Estate	140,862.49		
Personal	5,189.81		
Poll	26.00	146,078.30	
1961			
Real Estate	680.80		
Poll	6.00	686.80	
1960			
Real Estate		635.72	
Suspended - Judgement - Bankruptcy		588.83	
Tax Title Redemption			
Tax Titles	20,028.86		
Water Liens	314.05		
Sewer	468.00	20,810.91	
From State			
Income Tax	115,711.00		
Income Tax School Aid Ch. 69-70-71	340,984.67		
Corporation Tax	219,738.08		
Meal Tax	9,754.92		
Public Libraries	7,767.25	693,955.92	
Licenses & Permits			
Auctioneers License	14.00		
Adv. Liquor License Applications	234.00		
Amusement & Music Boxes	170.00		
Common Victualer & Inn Holder	5,570.00		
Rent Town Hall	105.00		
Hawkers & Peddlers	30.00		
Auto Dealers	120.00		
Theater	10.00		
Trampoline	75.00		
Sunday	256.00		
Bowling	208.00		
Billiard Parlor	95.00		
Liquor	5,385.00		
Junk	60.00		
Hackney	9.00		
Intelligence Office	2.00		
Guns & Firearms	443.00		
1 Day Circus	10.00	12,796.00	

Court Fines

1,397.00

Grants & Gifts

Dog Licenses (County)		2,254.12
State		

School Construction Grants	208,607.91	
Education of Deaf & Blind	11,482.09	
Tuition & Transportation	22,180.71	
Vocational Education	6,126.62	
Summer Recreation Retarded Children	844.23	249,241.56

Federal

Schools N.D.E.A. P.L. 85-864 Title III	1,646.20	
Schools N.D.E.A. P.L. 85-864 Title V	1,855.80	
Schools N.D.E.A. P.L. 874	56,240.00	
Smith Hughes - George Barden	3,400.00	
Old Age Assistance	75,474.77	
Old Age Assistance Administrative	9,067.26	
Medical Assistance for Aged	90,314.31	
Medical Assistance for Aged Admr.	8,016.23	
Aid Dependent Children	26,571.00	
Aid Dependent Children Admr.	10,132.05	
Disability Assistance	12,108.00	
Disability Assistance Administrative	2,292.31	297,117.93

From Trust Funds

Colbert Library Fund - Colbert Library	1,795.21	
Chas. Thayer Fund - Dyer Hill Cemetery	100.00	
A.S. & N.E. Hollis School Fund	48,676.48	
N.E. Hollis Park & Playground Fund	8,206.00	
Mary F. White Trust Fund		
School Playground	3,440.65	
Chester W. & Margaret A. Daily		
High School Scholarship Fund	3,333.33	
N.H. Hunt Trust Fund	873.00	
Ann M. Penniman Trust Fund	18.00	66,442.67

Special Assessments

Sewer

Unapportioned	11,908.31	
Apportioned Paid in Advance	12,885.45	
Apportioned 1963	21,854.61	
Apportioned 1962	530.18	47,178.55

Sewer Connections

Unapportioned	26,171.48	
Apportioned Paid in Advance	9,032.00	
Apportioned 1963	17,631.85	
Apportioned 1962	145.20	52,980.53

Streets

Unapportioned	4,291.68	
Apportioned Paid in Advance	1,075.00	
Apportioned 1963	1,744.21	
Apportioned 1962	80.00	7,190.89

Sidewalks

Unapportioned	1,731.31	
Apportioned 1963	738.27	
Apportioned 1962	14.00	2,483.58

Committed Interest

Levy of 1963	19,519.82	
Levy of 1962	435.60	19,955.42

Motor Vehicle Excise		
1963	555,849.03	
1962	82,667.48	
1961	124.66	
Judgement & Bankruptcy Claims	1,422.63	640,063.80
Farm Animal Excise		
1963		49.13

Payroll Deductions

Federal Withholding Tax	697,083.77	
State Withholding Tax	64,427.57	
Group Insurance	70,353.96	
Savings Bonds	17,086.79	
Elderly Gov't. Retirees Group Ins.	1,962.68	
Optional Group Insurance	8,853.00	859,767.77

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Selectmen	1.30	
Treasurer	1.00	
Tax Collector	2,229.66	
Engineering Department	82.50	2,314.46
Town Clerk		
Dog Licenses Reserved for County	3,775.00	
Dog Licenses Town's Share	473.00	4,248.00
Fish & Game Licenses Reserved for State	4,161.50	
Fish & Game Licenses Town's Share	243.50	4,405.00
Miscellaneous Fees (Town)		4,277.90

PUBLIC SAFETY

Police Ambulance	1,052.75	
Police Photostats, Copies	570.00	
Police Miscellaneous	186.05	
Fire Miscellaneous	50.00	
Sealer Weights & Measures Fees	808.85	
Inspector of Building Fees	6,823.00	
Inspector of Wires Fees	4,014.00	
Gypsy Moth Spraying	1,185.90	
Board of Appeals	130.00	14,820.55

HEALTH AND SANITATION

Health		
Accounts Receivable	1,265.42	
Licenses & Permits	4,184.50	
Miscellaneous	1.00	
Dental Clinic	452.50	
Polio Clinic	2,618.86	
Asian Flu Shots Receipts	9.00	8,531.28
Sewer		
Accounts Receivable	17,634.49	
Cesspool Disposal Permit	300.00	
Miscellaneous	96.82	18,031.31

HIGHWAYS

Temporary Repairs	110.00	
Chapter 90 State	2,000.00	
Chapter 90 County	4,000.00	
Miscellaneous	189.93	6,299.93

CHARITIES & VETERANS' SERVICES

General Relief Accounts Receivable	2,204.51	
O.A.A. Accounts Receivable	37,165.63	
M.A.A. Accounts Receivable	61,967.34	
A.D.C. Accounts Receivable	22,068.71	
D.A. Accounts Receivable	12,180.02	
All Aids Admr. Accounts Receivable	9,106.43	
Recoveries O.A.A.	13,620.70	
Recoveries M.A.A.	4,901.45	
Recoveries D.A.	969.46	
Veterans' Services Accounts Receivable	35,477.19	
Veterans' Services Recoveries	607.45	
Veterans' Services Miscellaneous	202.40	200,471.29

SCHOOLS & LIBRARIES

Schools		
Accounts Receivable	512.85	
Miscellaneous	8,110.08	
Lunchroom Program	269,719.61	
Athletic Fund	9,740.08	288,082.62
Libraries		
Fines & Sales		4,927.09

RECREATION

Sunset Lake Parking Permits	1,149.00	
Sunset Lake Bathing Tags	483.00	
Golf Course Receipts	37,698.25	39,330.25

UNCLASSIFIED

From Water & Light for Group Insurance	8,784.00	
From Water & Light for Non-Contributory Pensions	5,243.89	
From Water for Debt & Interest	43,334.50	
From Light for Debt & Interest	378,125.00	
From Light Tax Levy 1963	40,000.00	
From Light Tax Levy 1962	40,000.00	
Parking Meter Receipts	4,906.00	
Health & Sewer Bid Deposits Reserve	2,550.00	
Insurance Claims for Damages	1,222.44	
Group Insurance Dividends	14,221.00	
Insurance Return Premiums & Dividends	354.06	
Sale of Houses - Housing Authority	2,155.91	
Sale Town Owned Land Art. #36-1963	1,000.00	
Reimbursement Loss Taxes on Land Taking	6,938.10	
Refund Deduction Teachers Retirement System	2.69	
Reimbursement Settlement Selwyn Road	700.00	

Employees Compensation State Tax	331.10	
Tailings Account	533.35	
Miscellaneous Receipts	<u>197.03</u>	550,599.07
<u>Tax Title Possessions</u>		
Sale of Tax Title	2,795.00	
Deposit on Sale Tax Title	445.00	
In Lieu of Taxes	<u>194.45</u>	3,434.45

ENTERPRISES AND CEMETERIES

Water Department		
Liens 1963	13,443.43	
Liens 1962	1,399.75	
Rates & Services	<u>407,684.97</u>	422,528.15
Electric Light Department		
Light & Power	2,446,081.65	
New Plant	<u>47,119.50</u>	2,493,201.15
Electric Light Depreciation		
Fund		333,434.90
Cemeteries		
Perpetual Care Fund		
Plain Street	400.00	
Pond Street	<u>100.00</u>	500.00
Sale of Graves		
Plain Street		250.00
Burials - Markers - Foundations		1,079.00

INTEREST AND DEBT

Interest		
Taxes	4,708.41	
Special Assessments	182.26	
Tax Titles	1,769.71	
Motor Vehicle Excise	3,798.25	
Accrued Sales of Bonds	15.56	
On Invested Funds	<u>7,986.46</u>	18,460.65
Debt		
Anticipation of Revenue	1,500,000.00	
Anticipation of Sewer Conn. Borrowing	50,000.00	
Sewer	<u>750,000.00</u>	2,300,000.00
Premiums on Loans		8,603.25

REFUNDS AND TRANSFERS

Refunds	
Federal Grants O.A.A.	486.80
Federal Grants O.A.A. Administrative	45.00
Federal Grants M.A.A.	342.50
Federal Grants A.D.C.	123.70
Federal Grants D.A.	85.70
Police Department Expense	5.24
Health Dental Clinic	3.90
Health Polio Clinic	80.00
Sewer Granite Street	265.20
Board Public Welfare All Aids	63.00
Veterans' Services Benefits	1,727.41
Support of Public Schools	1,324.07
East Jr. High School Construction	13.89

Parks & Playgrounds Materials -		
Supply - Repair	20.69	
Golf Course Expense	120.00	
Group Insurance	35.55	
Electric Light Maintenance	2,177.55	
Electric Light New Plant	500.00	7,420.20
Transfers		
Finance Committee Expense	181.00	
Treasurer Extra Clerical	300.00	
Town Clerk Printing & Advertising	78.39	
Town Clerk Town Meeting Record - P.A. Syst.	135.00	
General Government Incidentals	75.00	
Police Department Sickness & Injury	2,950.00	
Police Department Extra Men	42.39	
Police Department Election Duty	44.00	
Police Department Radio Maint. & Installation	13.53	
Fire Department Sickness	900.00	
Fire Department Expenses	1,835.24	
Fire Department Rebuild Motor Aerial Ladder	305.16	
Central Fire & Police Station Utilities	33.81	
Central Fire & Police Station Supplies	150.00	
Board of Health Inspection of Plumbing	700.00	
Board of Health Premature Infant Care	255.70	
Board of Health Polio Clinic	369.56	
Board of Health Pest Control	540.00	
Sewer Department House Connections	6,000.00	
Highway Department Materials -		
Supply - Repairs	450.24	
Highway Department Snow Removal	3,165.00	
Veterans' Services Expenses	69.19	
Veterans' Services Benefits	5,806.90	
Public School Site & Survey Committee	250.00	
Library Expenses	110.00	
Organized Play Assistant Teacher	308.00	
Group Insurance	639.62	
Graves Registration Officer Expense	50.00	
Lighting River Street Underpass	225.00	25,982.73
CASH BALANCE DECEMBER 31, 1963		
General	1,606,412.31	
Water Department	58,861.90	
Electric Light Department	201,300.98	
Electric Light Depreciation	579,927.13	2,446,502.32
		17,046,718.42

EXPENDITURES

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

<u>Moderator</u>		25.00
<u>Finance Committee</u>		
Secretary		550.00
Expenses		
Clerical	269.00	
Telephone	11.00	
Supplies & Postage	92.75	
Printing	554.65	
Dues, Meeting Expense	81.00	
Advertising - Public Hearings	77.00	1,085.40
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<u>Selectmen</u>		
Salary Board		2,400.00
Executive Secretary		4,875.00
Extra Clerical		250.00
New Typewriter		150.00
Mileage		450.00
Expenses		
Supplies & Postage	343.38	
Telephone	317.80	
Dues - Meeting Expense	138.50	
All Other	37.50	837.18
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<u>Accounting</u>		
Accountant's Salary		6,912.50
Assistant to the Accountant Salary		4,225.00
Extra Clerical		50.00
Adding Machine		209.50
Expenses		
Supplies & Postage	115.35	
Telephone	150.14	
Dues & Meeting Expense	20.00	
All Other	53.25	338.74
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<u>Treasurer</u>		
Salary		7,725.00
Clerks		7,356.50
Extra Clerical		900.00
Parking Meter Expense		55.00
Hollis Fund Custodial Service		750.00
New Equipment		198.90
Expenses		
Office Expense & Supplies	271.66	
Printing & Advertising	467.41	
Dues, Meeting Expense - Mileage	168.45	
Telephone	241.18	
Surety Bond & Insurance	541.20	
Stationery & Postage	1,504.66	
Tax Title Expense	222.34	
Certification of Notes	16.00	
All Other	98.10	3,531.00
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Tax Collector

Salary		7,800.00
Principal Clerk		4,183.00
Extra Clerical		676.70
Recordings & Takings		634.75
New Equipment		85.00
Shelving		41.58
Expenses		
Legal Fees	29.05	
Envelopes & Postage	2,810.55	
Legal Forms	686.31	
Telephone	217.55	
Surety Bonds & Insurance	501.25	
Dues, Meeting Expense	28.00	
Printing	37.00	
Mileage	203.00	
Supplies & Binders	236.23	
All Other (Including Equipment Repairs)	161.09	4,910.03

Assessors

Salary Board		3,900.00
Principal Clerk		4,602.00
Clerks		10,956.75
Field Engineer		830.00
Abstract of Deeds		470.00
Microfilm Original Town Records		260.28
Out of State Travel		100.00
Mileage		300.00
Expenses		
Office Expense & Postage	569.08	
Printing & Advertising	310.00	
School of Instruction - Dues - Meeting Expense	340.03	
Telephone	328.01	
Binding	200.50	
Maintenance Contracts	427.60	
All Other	277.41	2,452.63

Town Counsel

Salary		4,200.00
Clerical		840.00
Witness Fees & Lig. Expense		64.20
Settlement of Claims		491.60
Land Damages		22,900.00
Expenses		
Office Expense & Postage	76.15	
Telephone	110.18	
All Other	238.85	425.18

Town Clerk

Salary		7,600.00
Principal Clerk		4,225.00
Extra Clerical		600.00
Town Meeting Recording		650.00
Printing & Advertising		926.39
Microfilming Town Records Art. #33-1963		1,949.02
Binding		250.00
Mileage		50.00

Expenses		
Office Expense & Postage	564.69	
Telephone	274.96	
Surety Bond	15.00	
Machine Maintenance	35.00	
All Other	85.24	974.89

Registration

Salary - Registrars		300.00
Town Clerk		200.00
Principal Clerk		3,939.00
Extra Clerical		350.00
Registration Listing		2,086.37
Expenses		
Office Expense & Postage	17.10	
Printing & Advertising	2,668.79	
Machine Maintenance	35.00	
All Other	13.00	2,733.89

Election

Officials & Janitors		2,017.89
Repairs - Voting Booths		100.00
Expenses		
Printing & Advertising	556.00	
Rent	60.00	
Electrical Repairs - Voting Booths	40.00	656.00

Engineering

Town Engineer		4,693.86
Sr. Engineering Aide #1		5,733.00
Sr. Engineering Aide #2		5,247.90
Principal Clerk		4,225.00
Microfilm Records		847.00
Expenses		
Telephone	221.15	
Auto Expense	148.13	
Supplies	877.51	
All Other	13.80	1,260.59

Town Hall

Supervising Custodian		4,076.80
Janitor Handyman		3,764.80
Janitor Overtime		74.42
Maintenance		
Fuel	1,691.39	
Lights	1,428.76	
Janitors Supplies	864.33	
Repairs	781.18	
Water	53.69	
Gas	42.24	
Storage & Covering Awnings	139.40	
All Other	115.00	5,115.99
Repairs		
Welding	124.00	
Repairing Plaster	326.80	
Carpentry	218.00	
Electrical	60.00	
Plumbing	591.00	
Painting	689.46	
Roof	760.00	2,769.26

Checkerett Racks	192.20
Alterations - Planning Board & Bd. of Appeal Off.	700.00
Incinerator	675.15

General Government Incidentals

Advertising Liquor Licenses	234.00	
Advertising Bids	12.50	
Advertising & Printing Warrants Special Town Meet.	229.58	
Printing & Supplies	222.58	
All Other	43.00	741.66

PUBLIC SAFETY

Police Department

Chief		7,622.87
Deputy Chief		6,480.33
Lieutenants		18,131.31
New Lieutenants		2,548.92
Sergeants		35,762.00
Patrolmen		197,183.39
New Patrolmen		9,438.40
Clerk		3,939.00
Vacations		11,223.18
Sickness & Injury		8,835.44
Court Time & Overtime		1,991.49
Extra Men		1,542.39
New Patrolmen - Vacations		286.50
New Patrolmen - Sickness		160.80
New Patrolmen - Holiday Pay		459.40
Election Pay		530.75
Men at Sunset Lake		1,299.40
Paid Holidays		9,070.44
Tarantino Replacement		4,455.60
Replacement for men Attending State Police School		1,206.78
Janitor Handyman		2,928.84
Dog Officer		
Salary	390.00	
Fuel	77.99	
Supplies & Repairs	41.99	509.98
School Traffic		
Safety Officer		5,812.00
Supervisors		19,078.75
New Supervisors		721.00
Supervisors Sickness		250.00
Equipment for Supervisors		347.54
New Supervisors Equipment		204.90
Auto Expense		129.62
New Patrolmen Uniforms		375.00
Uniforms for Men		3,586.96
Radio Maintenance & Installations		322.53
State Police School Expense		392.16
New Cars		7,690.00
Photocopier & Stand		397.47
Typewriter & Stand		229.00
New Radio		3,690.00
Expenses		
Matron	372.50	
Auto Expense	5,731.48	

Auto Repairs	1,771.45	
Photo Supplies	117.79	
Medical	820.36	
Laundry	71.65	
Telephone	2,773.48	
Dues, Meeting Expense	104.30	
Printing & Supplies	697.65	
Equipment for Men	1,101.89	
Additional Equipment	103.00	
Parking Meters	33.26	
All Other (Miscellaneous)	1,107.90	14,806.71

Fire Department

Chief		8,400.00
Assistant Chief		7,050.00
Deputy Chiefs		20,250.00
Captains		19,344.00
Lieutenants		42,078.00
Private Mechanic		5,837.00
Private Fire Alarm		5,590.00
Privates		185,816.70
New Men		14,315.00
Callmen		1,500.00
Vacations		17,494.62
Sickness		2,750.00
Overtime		8,497.94
New Men Vacations		420.00
New Men Holidays		518.16
Paid Holidays		10,725.63
Out of State Travel		100.00
Uniforms		2,799.96
New Men Uniforms - Incidentals		799.89
Utilities - East Braintree		1,279.10
Expenses		
Auto Expense	2,115.01	
Tires & Tubes	452.32	
Gas & Oil	1,468.52	
Medical	926.59	
Equipment for Men	248.15	
Office Expense	285.53	
Telephone	1,589.68	
Dues, Meeting Expense	53.00	
Janitors Supplies	376.24	
All Other (Miscellaneous)	575.38	8,090.42
New Equipment		
Fire Fighting Equipment	1,205.95	
Refill Air Tanks	72.85	
Hose	1,855.41	
Extinguishers & Equipment	145.45	
Hose & Equipment	19.07	3,298.73
Chiefs Car		1,290.00
Rebuild Motor Aerial Ladder		1,522.24
Repairs to Cupola East Braintree Station		568.00
Interior Painting Highlands Station		49.45

<u>Fire Alarm</u>		
Assistant Superintendent		6,149.00
Vacations		457.20
Overtime		97.86
Uniforms		50.00
Repairs to Radio		393.08
Wire		699.15
Installation of Boxes		58.99
Replacing Cross Arms		747.73
New Boxes (5)		1,000.00
Radio Receivers		276.50
Expenses		
Auto Expense	860.43	
Mutual Aid	37.08	
Supplies & Equipment	901.44	1,798.95
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<u>Central Fire & Police Station</u>		
Fuel		1,947.52
Utilities		1,633.81
Supplies		710.25
Repairs		1,167.64
Light Fixtures		135.00
Flush Meters		45.40
Shades		30.00
Desk		135.00
 <u>Inspector of Buildings</u>		
Salary		5,652.25
Deputy		105.00
File Cabinet		75.00
Expenses		
Printing & Supplies	63.00	
Mileage	512.00	575.00
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<u>Inspector of Wires</u>		
Salary		3,356.25
Deputy		100.00
Expenses		
Dues - Mileage	463.40	
Printing & Supplies	36.60	500.00
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<u>Sealer of Weights & Measures</u>		
Salary		1,575.00
Measuring Tape		20.00
Expenses		
Supplies	40.09	
Dues - Mileage	259.91	300.00
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<u>Planning Board</u>		
Clerical		315.00
Office Expense & Stenotype Service		141.71
Dues, Meeting, Mileage Expense		374.22
Printing & Legal Notices		97.35
Office Furniture		177.30
 <u>Board of Appeals</u>		
Salary		295.00
Office Supplies - Postage		94.44

<u>Tree Warden</u>		
Salary Superintendent		2,875.00
General Care		3,400.00
Tree Removal		2,695.00
Tree Bank		998.70
Tree Planting		1,995.31

HEALTH AND SANITATION

<u>Board of Health</u>		
Board Salary		300.00
Agent		5,304.00
Principal Clerk		4,225.00
Expense		
Printing & Advertising	24.13	
Telephone	246.44	
Office Expense & Supplies	424.34	
Dues, Meeting Expense	88.06	
Mileage	960.00	
All Other	78.22	1,821.19
Dead Animal Disposal		624.00
Tuberculosis Care		15,602.63
T.B. Prevention		480.00
Health Education		2,000.00
Communicable Disease		1,500.00
Gas Inspections		1,749.55
Inspection of Plumbing		4,688.50
Premature Infant Care		1,055.70
Diphtheria Clinic		275.00
Pest Control		3,260.00
Garbage Collection		52,950.00
Polio Clinic		3,025.77
Dental Clinic		
Salary	10,606.50	
Expense	1,419.87	12,026.37
Rabies Clinic		42.00
Inspection Public Eating Places		835.00
Inspection of Animals & Meats (Salaries)		550.00
Inspection Milk & Water		579.50
Replace Animal Crematory & Repairs to Building		1,223.39
New Building Crematory for Animals		6.25

<u>Sewer Department</u>		
Commissioners		300.00
Superintendent		8,400.00
Principal Clerk		4,241.25
Maintenance		
Office Expense & Supplies	538.34	
Labor	15,775.24	
Auto, Truck & Compressor & Trailer Maint.	1,080.83	
Materials & Small Tools	996.33	
Repairs, Replacement & New Equipment	1,596.98	
Telephone, Electricity & Water	4,995.69	
All Other	514.64	25,498.05
House Connections		
Labor	33,537.28	
Compressor & Truck Maintenance	2,249.72	
Materials & Small Tools	25,202.58	
All Other	57,784.88	118,774.46

Construction		
Labor	18,842.50	
Equipment Rented	708.25	
Materials of Construction	2,186.04	
Contracts	332,338.68	
All Other	6,560.28	
Certain Streets	31,883.41	392,519.16
Granite Street Sewer		131,161.56
Relocate Pearl Street Sewer		13,418.30
Main Truck Farm River		27,289.83
Bid Deposits Reserve		250.00

HIGHWAYS

<u>Highway</u>		
Superintendent		8,200.00
Other Salaries		
Patching	15,285.43	
Street Cleaning	19,785.60	
Drains	15,658.80	
Repair Equipment	16,759.30	
Rubbish	23,145.89	
Snow	24,222.12	
Moth	1,406.10	
Dump	10,038.54	
Street & Traffic Signs	6,884.47	
Fence & Rails	84.32	
Cut Brush	6,382.24	
Tar & Sanding	2,355.39	
Repairs - Sidewalks	3,039.50	
Voting Booths	326.92	
All Other	28,039.31	
1959 New Construction		
Central Avenue	3,868.17	
1962 New Construction		
Liberty Street	8,644.16	
Hollis Avenue	4,199.13	
Walnut Street	938.49	
1963 New Construction		
Forbes Road	759.45	
Streets Resurfaced (Sewer)	920.75	192,744.08
Materials, Supplies & Repairs		
Gas & Oil	11,272.44	
Patch	3,662.61	
Repairs Equipment	15,100.96	
Supplies	5,796.22	
Repairs Sidewalks	995.52	
Surface Treating	10,627.33	
Street & Traffic Signs	2,659.27	
Fence Rails	21.00	
Drains	2,680.04	
Temporary Repairs (All Other)	2,634.85	55,450.24
Gypsy Moth		
Superintendent	550.00	
Expense	575.00	1,125.00
Aerial Spraying		4,335.25
Dutch Elm Disease		
Contracts	1,585.00	
Advertising	5.95	1,590.95

Chapter 90 Maintenance		6,000.00
Chapter 90		
1961 Construction - Pearl Street		46.57
1959 New Construction - Central Avenue		3,393.00
1962 New Construction		
Liberty Street	7,085.00	
Hollis Avenue	3,398.30	
Walnut Street	948.00	11,431.30
1963 New Construction		
Construct & Relocate Forbes Road		491.93
Construction Common Street		24,274.07
Betterments		
Winthrop Avenue		
Supplies		10,652.00
Cleveland Avenue Sidewalk		
Supplies		1,907.50
French Avenue		
Labor	4,275.36	
Supplies	2,459.64	6,735.00
Lakeside Drive		
Labor	636.65	
Supplies	346.85	983.50
Forest Street		
Supplies		124.11
Certain Streets		
Willard Street		
Labor	552.88	
Supplies	289.62	842.50
Snow Removal		21,161.78
Streets Re-surfaced		3,162.56
Dump Fill		6,000.00
Truck Chassis		7,937.20
Street Marker		854.50
Two Way Radio		5,584.00
Front End Loader		16,348.00
Sand Spreader		1,995.00

PUBLIC WELFARE AND VETERANS' SERVICES

<u>Board of Public Welfare</u>		
Board Salary		583.23
Other Salaries		
Agent	4,288.59	
Social Workers (3)	8,538.04	
Senior Clerk	2,427.72	
Clerks (3)	5,185.19	
Medical Advisor	210.00	20,649.54
Expenses		1,496.90
1963 Aids		
Groceries & Provisions	2,653.65	
Fuel	223.54	
Rent	230.00	
Medical	4,224.12	
Lights	90.05	
Clothing - Shoes	16.00	
Other Cities & Towns G.R.	4,930.26	
Other Cities & Towns O.A.A.	3,324.32	
Cash Grants G.R.	4,173.36	
Cash Grants O.A.A.	39,579.77	
Cash Grants M.A.A.	63,192.61	

Cash Grants A.D.C.	34,917.46	
Cash Grants D.A.	21,798.97	179,354.11
Federal Grants		
Cash Grants O.A.A.	100,184.01	
Cash Grants M.A.A.	124,727.58	
Cash Grants A.D.C.	35,848.79	
Cash Grants D.A.	12,449.97	273,210.35
Federal Grant Administration		
O.A.A. Agent	1,023.32	
Social Workers (3)	2,245.78	
Clerks (3)	1,406.80	
Senior Clerk	673.84	
Medical Advisor	42.00	
Expenses	2,215.07	7,606.81
M.A.A. Agent	686.35	
Social Workers (3)	1,390.35	
Clerks (3)	822.50	
Senior Clerk	415.40	
Expenses	508.86	3,823.46
A.D.C. Agent	1,603.46	
Social Workers (3)	3,223.80	
Clerks (3)	1,790.71	
Senior Clerk	948.38	
Medical Advisor	126.00	
Expenses	819.25	8,511.60
D.A. Medical Advisor	126.00	
Expenses	502.07	628.07
Veterans' Services		
Agent		6,266.00
Clerk		3,393.00
Extra Clerical		500.00
Expenses		
Office	867.19	
Car	852.00	1,719.19
Benefits		
Cash Grants	78,076.10	
Strike Allowance	546.84	
Fuel	15.95	
Medical	26,322.34	
Shoes & Clothing	93.64	
Groceries & Provisions	710.00	
Storages & Rent	269.44	106,034.31

SCHOOLS & LIBRARIANS

Schools

Support of Public Schools

Instruction

Teachers Salaries	2,437,642.11
Expenses	55,695.81
Supplies	46,538.12
Other Expenses	17,210.45

Operation of School Plant

Custodian Services	199,688.49
Fuel	53,206.05
Custodian Supplies	16,070.97
Water	3,123.64
Light & Power	35,130.20
Telephone	9,490.34

Maintenance of School Plant		
Salaries & Expenses	85,913.31	
Materials & Supplies	16,170.84	
Repairs (Specific)	63,815.30	
Replacement of Equipment	6,872.95	
Auxiliary Agencies		
Libraries	867.04	
Health	31,688.62	
Transportation	102,363.18	
Tuition	14,055.64	
Physical Education	22,108.68	
Director of Lunchroom	5,780.00	
Miscellaneous	3,029.02	
General Control		
School Committee	909.40	
Superintendent	16,846.16	
Other General Salaries	49,217.16	
Other General Expenses	5,567.80	
Out of State Travel	1,503.50	
Outlay		
Alteration & Improvement to Grounds	2,023.37	
Evening School	8,038.71	
Athletic Fund	10,439.85	3,321,006.71
Federal Grants		
P.L. #874	80,365.86	
P.L. 85-864 Title III	13,920.67	
P.L. 85-864 Title V	3,216.58	
Smith Hughes - George Barden	7,971.56	105,474.67
Public School Site & Survey Committee		125.00
Construction East Jr. High School		3,151.34
Const. & Equip. Add. Monatiquot School Annex		8,744.48
Addition Liberty School		290.40
Add. Liberty School Bldg. Comm. Plans & Specs.		14,740.21
Add. Noah Torrey Plans & Specifications		2,293.88
School Department Land Purchase		11,300.00
Colbert Library		1,915.62
Hollis Fund Income		
1961	13,850.34	
1962	28,102.93	
1963	455.00	42,408.27
Mary F. White Fund		1,962.35
School Lunchroom Program		270,717.01
Athletic Revolving Fund		10,570.37
<u>Libraries</u>		
Librarians		56,921.19
Janitors		6,772.40
Expenses		
Books	10,513.51	
Periodicals	936.70	
Fuel	1,441.31	
Lights	1,138.75	
Gas	429.30	
Maintenance & Repairs	1,469.24	
Rent	1,500.00	
Telephone	501.75	
Expenses, Supplies, Postage	2,016.65	
Water	65.41	
Transportation	200.00	
All Other	294.59	20,507.21

Out of State Travel	74.88
Binding	2,976.12
New Basement Entrance	3,760.00
New Furniture	161.47
New Fire Extinguisher	27.00
New Window Grates	140.00
New Rubber Matting	48.00
Mirror	16.50
Electric Fans	57.00
Fire Detection System	3,382.44

RECREATION

Parks & Playgrounds

Superintendent		6,800.00
Secretary		360.00
Labor		10,867.92
Materials, Supplies & Repairs		
Fertilizer, Lime & Seed	593.52	
Loam, Sand & Gravel	1,256.81	
Chemicals	256.98	
Sport Supplies	909.17	
Hardware, Tools, Cement, etc.	1,473.34	
Repairs	207.04	4,696.86
Expenses		
Truck, Tractor Expense & Repair	1,442.01	
Mowers, Expense & Repair	381.10	
Lights	226.10	
Water	74.76	
Office Expense & Telephone	258.40	
Barn Rent	480.00	
Signs, Advertising, Films, etc.	70.01	
Equipment Hire	314.84	3,247.22
N.E. Hollis Fund		
Fence French's Common	200.00	
Excavating & Base-Tennis Courts at Watson Park	350.00	550.00
Paint Fence French's Common		670.54
Bleachers		750.00
New Benches		183.00
Chain Link Fence French's Common		195.00
Organized Play		
Supervisor		1,105.00
Instructors		9,319.50
Expenses		
Sport Supplies	1,245.77	
Arts & Crafts	653.78	
First Aid, Office & Extra Clerical	133.26	
Travel Expense of Supervisor	300.00	
Taxi	436.50	2,769.31
Retarded Children's Program		
Supervisor		560.00
Assistant Teacher		564.00
Transportation		500.00
Expenses		
Arts & Crafts		30.76
Swimming Program		
Instructors		5,620.69
Gate Guard		819.50
Matron		410.00

Caretaker		130.00
Expenses		
Swimming Supplies	548.91	
Postage, Extra Clerical	140.70	
First Aid & Dock Repair	179.35	868.96

Golf Course

Supervisor		2,318.40
Clubhouse Operating Expense		500.00
Labor		10,672.05
Materials, Supplies & Repairs		
Fertilizer, Lime & Seed	1,342.48	
Loam, Sand & Gravel	462.84	
Chemicals & Shrubs	395.02	
Tags, Scorecards, Towels, etc.	349.00	
Hardware, Tools, Paint, Cement, etc.	1,085.53	
Repairs	73.37	
Poles, Flags, Cups, Sprinklers, etc.	241.53	
Clubhouse	50.23	4,000.00
Expenses		
Equipment Hire	250.60	
Truck, Tractor Expense & Repair	1,174.36	
Mowers, Expense & Repair	563.64	
Office Expense & Telephone	94.27	
Pencils, Signs, Advertising, Film, etc.	147.50	
Pump House	461.89	
Heat & Light	380.26	
Water	47.48	3,120.00
Greensmower		500.00
Tractor Loader		4,450.00
New Water Line		3,108.50
New Tees		3,000.00

UNCLASSIFIED

Insurance

Group, Life and Medical	67,684.19	
Workmen's Compensation	28,717.35	
Fire (Building & Contents)	21,796.12	
Auto Liability	8,281.70	
Boiler	2,348.98	128,828.34
Legion Building Maintenance		
Janitor	660.00	
Fuel	540.00	1,200.00
Rent of Hall D.A.V.		850.00
Rent of Hall V.F.W.		960.00
Photo & Duplicating Machine Supplies		200.00
Town Reports		1,783.88
Street Lighting		44,755.73
Contributory Retirement System		79,952.54
Hydrant Maintenance		27,580.00
Town Forest		600.00
South Shore Mosquito Control Project		5,600.00
Unpaid Bills Prior to 1/1/63		1,637.04
Ind. Development Comm. Operating Expense		3,228.49
Graves Registration		100.00
Memorial Day		642.00
Trust Fund Commissions		
Expenses		77.75

Advisory Service		750.00
Accounting Service		300.00
Personnel Board Expense		1,002.05
River Street Underpass		217.00
Pedestrian Lights - Commercial Street		1,726.88
Civil Defense		
Administration Expense		360.30
Warning System Line Rental		576.00
Radiological		492.50
Furniture & Supplies - Headquarters		578.60
Renovations to Headquarters		2,325.00
Auxiliary Fire Department Equipment		198.90
Auxiliary Police Department Equipment		563.00
Communications		180.61
Non-Contributory Pensions		
Police Department		
Chief	1,950.00	
Deputy Chief Beneficiary	2,304.21	
Lieutenant	3,211.00	
Sergeant	3,120.00	
Patrolman	3,157.70	
Patrolman	3,172.00	
Patrolman	282.10	
Patrolman Beneficiary	1,500.00	
Patrolman Beneficiary	1,500.00	
Fire Department		
Chief	2,602.24	
Deputy	2,535.00	
Deputy	4,243.34	
Lieutenant	3,106.48	
Private	2,854.80	
Lieutenant Beneficiary	1,500.00	
Highway Department		
Foreman	2,394.69	
Foreman	2,000.00	
Foreman	3,515.20	
Machine Operator	2,440.36	
Barn Man	1,500.00	
Board of Public Welfare		
Agent	3,875.28	
School Department		
Superintendent	2,888.48	
Teacher	2,957.50	
Teacher	5,905.25	
Janitor	2,000.00	
Water Department		
Repairman	2,888.70	
Electric Light Department		
Groundman	2,355.19	71,759.52
<u>Payroll Deductions Payment</u>		
Federal Withholding Tax	690,862.92	
State Withholding Tax	62,311.40	
U.S. Savings Bonds	16,804.44	
Group Insurance	70,150.11	
Optional Insurance	8,633.45	
Elderly Gov't. Retirees Group Ins.	1,962.68	850,725.00

ENTERPRISES AND CEMETERIES

Water Department

Commissioners	300.00	
Superintendent	8,400.00	
Clerks	19,556.15	
Debt & Interest	43,334.50	
Out of State Travel	143.60	
Other Expense Including New Equip. & Wages	351,797.41	
Addition Filtration Plant	22,907.50	
Chlorination Sunset Lake	<u>2,500.00</u>	448,939.16

Electric Light

Commissioners	300.00	
Maintenance	<u>2,407,790.68</u>	2,408,090.68
Depreciation		638,665.05

Cemeteries

Plain Street		
Superintendent	700.00	
Grave Openings	428.00	
Labor	544.20	
Expenses	189.28	
Materials & Supplies	<u>183.39</u>	2,044.87
Pond Street		
Superintendent	600.00	
Grave Openings	86.86	
Expense & Labor	<u>746.75</u>	1,433.61
Dyer Hill		98.20
First Parish		454.60
Office Expense		225.00
Perpetual Care Fund		500.00

INTEREST AND DEBT

Interest

Anticipation of Revenue	9,011.52	
Electric Light	108,125.00	
Library	2,100.00	
Sewer	30,425.00	
School	141,518.25	
Water	<u>10,334.50</u>	301,514.27

Maturing Debt

Anticipation of Revenue		1,500,000.00
Electric Light	270,000.00	
Library	10,000.00	
Sewer	120,000.00	
School	448,000.00	
Water	<u>33,000.00</u>	881,000.00
Premium Expenses of Bonds		1,990.60

TRUSTS, REFUNDS, TRANSFERS, AGENCYTrust Fund

Hunt Fund Income	873.00	
Ann Penniman Income	<u>18.00</u>	891.00
C.W. & M.A. Daily Scholarship Fund		3,333.33

Refunds

1963 Taxes		
Real Estate	48,664.42	
Personal	24.50	
Poll	37.58	
Excise	<u>10,672.36</u>	59,398.86
1962 Taxes		
Real Estate	11,631.45	
Poll	2.00	
Excise	<u>4,177.53</u>	15,810.98
1961 Taxes		
Excise		14.03
1957 Taxes		
Real Estate		200.40
Unapportioned Sidewalk Betterment		294.38
Estimated Receipts		101.26

Transfers

From Reserve Fund to Sundry Accounts (See Receipts)		25,982.73
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Agency

Fish & Game Licenses	4,161.50	
Dog Licenses	4,026.50	
Cash Bond Reserve	500.00	
Refund Mass. Teachers Ret. System Reserve	<u>2.69</u>	8,690.69

State & County Assessments

State

Air Pollution	635.96	
Auditing Municipal Accounts	5,103.01	
Super. Retirement System	183.30	
Metropolitan Parks	58,573.57	
Metropolitan Sewer	87,658.68	152,154.52

County

County Tax	108,768.51	
County Hospital	70,351.88	179,120.39

CASH BALANCE DECEMBER 31, 1963

General	1,767,704.66	
Electric Light	289,089.00	
Electric Light Depreciation	274,696.98	
Water Department	58,172.44	2,389,663.08
		17,046,718.42

Respectfully submitted,

MARY F. GULLOTTO
Town Accountant

TOWN OF BRAINTREE
Balance Sheet - December 31, 1963

GENERAL ACCOUNTS

Assets

Cash

General		
In Banks	\$2,000,500.41	
Invested	<u>389,162.67</u>	\$2,389,663.08
Advance for Petty Cash		
Treasurer	100.00	
Tax Collector	400.00	
School Athletics	100.00	
Water Department	200.00	
Electric Light Department	<u>200.00</u>	1,000.00

Accounts Receivables

Taxes		
Levy of 1963		
Real Estate	120,361.28	
Personal Property	11,391.80	
Poll	<u>32.00</u>	131,785.08
Suspended	20,231.77	
Judgements	<u>12,168.23</u>	32,400.00

Combined Real Estate and Motor Vehicles Judgement		1,515.61
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Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise		
Levy of 1963	127,539.41	
Levy of 1962	105.08	
Judgements	<u>6,543.38</u>	134,187.87

Special Assessments

Sewer		
Unapportioned	\$ 46,175.52	
Added to 1963 Taxes	387.51	
Sewer Connections		
Unapportioned	98,937.97	
Added to 1963 Taxes	179.66	
Streets		
Unapportioned	4,869.09	
Added to 1963 Taxes	38.26	
Sidewalks		
Unapportioned	3,898.06	
Added to 1963 Taxes	25.00	
Committed Interest		
Levy of 1963	444.16	
Levy of 1962	.06	
Levy of 1961	<u>1.00</u>	\$ 154,956.29

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TOWN OF BRAINTREE
Balance Sheet - December 31, 1963

GENERAL ACCOUNTS

Liabilities and Reserves

Payroll Deductions Reserves

Federal Withholding Tax	\$	61,106.05	
State Withholding Tax		17,022.96	
Savings Bonds		2,548.36	
Group Insurance		6,196.58	
Optional Insurance		<u>247.00</u>	\$ 87,120.95

Agency

Dog License Reserve			90.00
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Tailings - Unclaimed Checks			2,148.93
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Sale of Cemetery Lots			450.00
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Sale of Town Owned Real Estate			1,000.00
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Recoveries

Old Age Assistance		2,060.14	
Disability Assistance		751.95	
Veterans' Services		<u>381.00</u>	3,193.09

Federal Grants

Old Age Assistance			
Assistance		14,958.98	
Administration		3,876.12	
Medical Assistance for the Aged			
Assistance		18,124.90	
Administration		4,957.03	
Aid to Families with Dependent Children			
Assistance		4,206.71	
Administration		4,585.83	
Disability Assistance			
Assistance		2,010.96	
Administration		3,589.48	
School			
Public Law 874		63,122.59	
Public Law 85-864 Title III Rev.		2,566.39	
Public Law 85-864 Title V Rev.		2,304.16	
Smith Hughes-George Barden Fund		<u>5,174.60</u>	\$ 129,477.75

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Tax Titles

Tax Titles Redemptions	\$ 24,014.11	
Tax Titles Possessions	<u>30,091.64</u>	\$ 54,105.75

Departmental

Police Ambulance	412.25	
Board Public Welfare G.R.	1,421.17	
Board Public Welfare A.F.D.C.	7,773.95	
Veterans' Services	16,276.26	
Schools	1,054.17	
Civil Defense	<u>6,550.00</u>	33,487.80

Aid to Highways

State	51,000.00	
County	<u>25,500.00</u>	76,500.00

Water Department

Rates and Services	71,942.84	
Liens Added to 1963 Taxes	<u>1,035.69</u>	72,978.53

Electric Light Department

Light and Power		197,056.57
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Loans Authorized

Electric Light New Plant	1,000,000.00	
Water Construction	35,000.00	
Sewer Main Trunk	130,000.00	
Sewer House Connections	50,000.00	
Liberty St. School Addition	375,000.00	
Noah Torrey Cafeteria Addition	<u>75,000.00</u>	\$1,665,000.00

LIABILITIES

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Trust Fund Income			
Schools			
Colbert Library	\$	127.35	
Hollis Fund		22,575.13	
Mary F. White Fund		1,478.30	
Parks			
Hollis Fund		<u>7,866.43</u>	\$ 32,047.21
Revolving Funds			
Lunchroom Program		31,161.24	
Athletic Fund		<u>1,668.05</u>	32,829.29
Appropriation Balances			
(See Supplementary Attached Sheet for Detail)			
Revenue			
General		311,375.13	
Electric Light Department		<u>516,166.48</u>	827,541.61
Non-Revenue			
General		681,508.41	
Water Department		436.60	
Electric Light		<u>47,619.50</u>	729,564.51
Loans Authorized - Unissued			
Sewer		180,000.00	
Schools		450,000.00	
Water		35,000.00	
Electric Light		<u>1,000,000.00</u>	1,665,000.00
Receipts Reserved for Appropriation			
Police Ambulance		7,329.12	
Parking Meter		4,911.00	
Golf Course		52,974.50	
Sewer		58,487.62	
Electric Light Department		40,000.00	
Premiums on Sale of Bonds		<u>6,612.65</u>	170,314.89
Reserve Fund - Overlay Surplus			22,678.65
Overlays Reserved for Abatements			
Levy of 1963		7,743.39	
Levy of 1962		677.17	
Levy of 1961		621.70	
Levy of 1960		<u>400.00</u>	9,442.26
Over Collections			
1962 Real Estate Tax		.05	
1962 Poll Taxes		5.65	
1961 Real Estate Tax		.95	
1961 Motor Vehicles Excise		<u>6.60</u>	\$ 13.25

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\$4,944,636.58

Apportioned Betterments Not Due

Sewer	\$	243,246.50	
Sewer Connections		182,656.00	
Streets		17,183.50	
Sidewalks		4,378.00	\$ 447,464.00

Suspended Sewer Assessments	1,752.25
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\$ 449,216.25

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LIABILITIES

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Revenue Reserved Until Collected

RE, PP, & Poll Taxes Jud. & Sus.	\$	32,400.00	
Combined RE & Motor Vehicle Jud.		1,515.61	
Motor Vehicles		134,181.27	
Special Assessments		154,956.29	
Tax Titles		54,105.75	
Departmental		33,487.80	
Aid to Highways		76,500.00	
Water		72,978.53	
Electric Light		197,056.57	
			\$ 757,181.82

Deposit on Sale of Tax Title Possessions	395.00
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Cash Bond Deposit	1,800.00
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Reserved for Petty Cash	1,000.00
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Over Estimates 1963

County Tax	19,768.80	
Metropolitan Sewer	6,793.02	
Metropolitan Parks	767.26	
Air Pollution	85.19	27,414.27

Surplus Revenue

General	386,197.26	
Water Department	57,735.84	\$ 443,933.10
		<u>\$4,944,636.58</u>

DEFERRED REVENUE ACCOUNTS

Apportioned Sewer Betterment Assessment Revenue

Due 1964 to 1982 Inclusive	\$ 243,246.50
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Apportioned Sewer Connections Betterment Assessment Revenue

Due 1964 to 1982 Inclusive	182,656.00
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Apportioned Street Betterment Assessment Revenue

Due 1964 to 1982 Inclusive	17,183.50
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Apportioned Sidewalk Betterment Assessment Revenue

Due 1964 to 1981	4,378.00	\$ 447,464.00
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Suspended Sewer Assessment Revenue

1,752.25

<u>\$ 449,216.25</u>

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\$2,735,000.00

7,936,000.00

In Anticipation of Serial Loan	50,000.00
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\$10,721,000.00

Cash and Securities	\$1,208,255.41
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\$1,208,255.41

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LIABILITIES

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DEBT ACCOUNTS

Serial Loans

Inside Debt Limit		
Sewer	\$1,645,000.00	
Schools	1,000,000.00	
Library	<u>90,000.00</u>	\$2,735,000.00

Outside Debt Limit

General		
Schools	3,828,000.00	
Public Service		
Water	353,000.00	
Electric Light	<u>3,755,000.00</u>	7,936,000.00

Temporary Loan

General		
Sewer		<u>50,000.00</u>
		<u>\$10,721,000.00</u>

CONTRIBUTORY RETIREMENT SYSTEM

Contributory Retirement System Funds

Annuity Savings Fund	\$ 936,779.39	
Annuity Savings Fund - Military Serv.	6,821.53	
Annuity Reserve Fund	188,749.89	
Pension Fund	72,008.08	
Income Fund	2,887.49	
Expense Fund	<u>1,009.03</u>	
		<u>\$1,208,255.41</u>

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TRUST AND INVESTMENT FUNDS

Trust and Investment Funds

Cash and Securities

In Custody of Town Treasurer	\$1,481,482.52	
In Custody of Trustees	29,296.85	\$1,510,779.37

\$1,510,779.37

LIABILITIES

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TRUST AND INVESTMENT FUNDS

In Custody of Town Treasurer

Schools

Charles E. French	\$	3,338.84	
Ann M. Penniman		529.57	
Avis A. Thayer		709.50	
James W. Colbert		2,172.76	
Mary F. White		11,047.08	
A.S. & N.E. Hollis		1,220,176.88	
Chester W. & Margaret A. Daily		13,993.10	\$1,251,967.73

Library

N. H. Hunt		20,575.71	
James W. Colbert		42,570.12	
L.E. & E.S. Hollis		10,439.62	73,585.45

Cemeteries

George W. Kelley		294.57	
Hannah R. Hollis		127.09	
Perpetual Care		26,162.37	26,584.03

Parks & Playgrounds

N.E. Hollis			104,465.12
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Investment

Stabilization			1,546.92
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Miscellaneous

Charles Thayer			23,333.27
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1,481,482.52

In Custody of Trustees

Braintree School Fund		9,112.56	
Paul W. Jackson Cemetery Fund		5,858.83	
Library Foundation Fund		11,020.91	
Caleb Stetson Library Fund		2,500.00	
Rachel R. Thayer Library Fund		172.50	
Kenna Library Fund		632.05	29,296.85
			\$1,510,779.37

MARY-F. GULLOTTO
Town Accountant

APPROPRIATION BALANCES

REVENUE

General

Finance Committee Expenses	\$	181.00	
Assessors Witness Fees		458.00	
Appraisal Shopping Plaza		1,000.00	
Town Counsel-Witness Fees-Lig. Expense		300.00	
Land Damages		4,310.31	
Planning Board-Master Study Plan		2,500.00	
Board of Health-Repl. Animal Crem. & Rep. Bldg.		1,076.61	
New Building Animal Crematory		2,293.75	
Sewer Dept.-Const.Sewer Certain Streets		52,800.00	
Highway Ch. 90 Construction 1963		68,000.00	
Ch. 90 Construction 1962		56,000.00	
Ch. 90 Construction 1961		29,492.29	
1963 New Construction		2,771.62	
Betterments Sidewalks Forest St.		1,852.00	
Walnut St. & Lakeside Dr.		2,702.50	
Certain Streets		6,919.00	
Betterments Roadways Forest St.		14,645.89	
Putnam Avenue		668.75	
Schools - Jr. High Plans-Specs.-Draw.		830.41	
Monatiquot Alter.-Equip. Annex		1,573.00	
Demolition-Pav.-Grdg.		757.10	
Noah Torrey Caf. Add.-Plans-Specs.		206.12	
Construction		11,200.00	
Liberty Sch. Add.-Plans-Specs.		259.79	
Construction		13,129.60	
Regional Vocat. Sch.-Planning			
Com. Exp.		2,500.00	
Site & Survey Committee		125.00	
Parks & Playgrounds New Construction		836.68	
Hollis Field Stadium		2,181.25	
Paint Fence French's Common		429.46	
Acquisition of Land		2,000.00	
Utility Sch. & Park Bldg. Plans & Specs.		5,000.00	
Ind. Dev. Comm. Operating Expense		1,500.00	
Flood Control Project Smelt Brook		18,750.00	
Removal Silt Smelt Brook & Wey. Fore River		2,125.00	\$ 311,375.13
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<u>Electric Light Department</u>			
Maintenance		231,605.08	
Construction		9,864.42	
Depreciation		274,696.98	516,166.48
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NON-REVENUE

General

Sewer Department House Connections	\$	12,873.54	
Construction		245,977.96	
Extension Granite Street Sewer		3,110.16	
Main Trunk Farm River		372,710.17	
Schools High School Alterations & Repairs		881.60	
Jr. High Construction		44,321.94	
Monatiquot School Const. & Equip.			
Add. Annex		<u>1,633.04</u>	\$ 681,508.41

Water Department

New High Lift Pump	436.60	436.60
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Electric Light Department

New Plant	<u>47,619.50</u>	<u>47,619.50</u>
		<u>729,564.51</u>

TOTAL REVENUE AND NON-REVENUE		\$1,557,106.12
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TOWN OF BRAINTREE

1963 RECAPITULATION - LEDGER ACCOUNTS

	Balance 1/1/63	Appropriation	Receipts	Transfers	Total	Expended	Transfers	Closed to Rev., etc.	Balance 12/31/63
<u>GENERAL GOVERNMENT</u>									
Moderator	25.00	.....	.....	25.00	25.00	.....	.....	.....
Finance Committee - Secretary	550.00	.....	.....	550.00	550.00	.....	.....	.....
Expenses	1,117.00	.....	181.00	1,298.00	1,085.40	.....	31.60	181.00
Selectmen - Salaries	2,400.00	.....	.....	2,400.00	2,400.00	.....	.....	.....
Executive Secretary	4,875.00	.....	.....	4,875.00	4,875.00	.....	.....	.....
Extra Clerical & Vacation	250.00	.....	.....	250.00	250.00	.....	.....	.....
Expenses	875.00	.....	.....	875.00	837.18	.....	37.82	.....
Mileage	450.00	.....	.....	450.00	450.00	.....	.....	.....
Typewriter	150.00	.....	.....	150.00	150.00	.....	.....	.....
Town Accountant - Salary	6,912.50	.....	.....	6,912.50	6,912.50	.....	.....	.....
Assistant to Accountant	4,225.00	.....	.....	4,225.00	4,225.00	.....	.....	.....
Extra Clerical	50.00	.....	.....	50.00	50.00	.....	.....	.....
Adding Machine	209.50	.....	.....	209.50	209.50	.....	.....	.....
Expenses	400.00	.....	.....	400.00	338.74	.....	61.26	.....
Town Treasurer - Salary	7,725.00	.....	.....	7,725.00	7,725.00	.....	.....	.....
Clerks	7,356.50	.....	.....	7,356.50	7,356.50	.....	.....	.....
Extra Clerical	600.00	.....	300.00	900.00	900.00	.....	.....	.....
Expenses	3,531.00	.....	.....	3,531.00	3,531.00	.....	.....	.....
Parking Meter Office Expense	60.00	.....	.....	60.00	55.00	.....	5.00	.....
Custodial Service	750.00	.....	.....	750.00	750.00	.....	.....	.....
Desk	200.00	.....	.....	200.00	198.90	.....	1.10	.....
Tax Collector - Salary	7,800.00	.....	.....	7,800.00	7,800.00	.....	.....	.....
Principal Clerk	4,183.00	.....	.....	4,183.00	4,183.00	.....	.....	.....
Extra Clerical	750.00	.....	.....	750.00	676.70	.....	73.30	.....
Expenses	5,014.00	.....	.....	5,014.00	4,910.03	.....	103.97	.....
Recording & Taking	389.71	500.00	.....	.....	889.71	876.06	.....	13.65	.....
Electric Time Stamp	85.00	.....	.....	85.00	85.00	.....	.....	.....
Shelving	50.00	.....	.....	50.00	41.58	.....	8.42	.....
Assessors - Salaries	3,900.00	.....	.....	3,900.00	3,900.00	.....	.....	.....
Principal Clerk	4,602.00	.....	.....	4,602.00	4,602.00	.....	.....	.....
Clerks	10,956.75	.....	.....	10,956.75	10,956.75	.....	.....	.....
Field Engineer	830.00	.....	.....	830.00	830.00	.....	.....	.....
Abstract of Deeds	470.00	.....	.....	470.00	470.00	.....	.....	.....
Expenses	2,454.00	.....	.....	2,454.00	2,452.63	.....	1.37	.....
Witness Fees	458.00	.....	.....	.....	458.00	.....	.....	.....	458.00
Microfilming	333.00	.....	.....	.....	333.00	260.28	.....	72.72	.....
Mileage	300.00	.....	.....	300.00	300.00	.....	.....	.....
Out of State Travel	100.00	.....	.....	100.00	100.00	.....	.....	.....
Appraisal Shopping Plaza
Town Counsel - Salary	1,000.00	4,200.00	.....	.....	4,200.00	4,200.00	.....	.....	1,000.00
Clerical	840.00	.....	.....	840.00	840.00	.....	.....	.....
Office Expense	600.00	.....	.....	600.00	425.18	.....	174.82	.....
Witness Fees & Litigation Exp.	600.00	.....	.....	600.00	64.20	.....	235.80	300.00
Settlement of Claims	750.00	.....	.....	750.00	491.60	.....	258.40	.....

1963 RECAPITULATION - LEDGER ACCOUNTS

	Balance 1/1/63	Appropriation	Receipts	Transfers	Total	Expended	Transfers	Closed to Rev., etc.	Balance 12/31/63
Land Damages	2,210.31	25,000.00	.....	.....	27,210.31	22,900.00	.....	.....	4,310.31
Town Clerk - Salary	7,600.00	.....	.....	7,600.00	7,600.00	.....	.....	.....
Principal Clerk	4,225.00	.....	.....	4,225.00	4,225.00	.....	.....	.....
Extra Clerical Index Statistics	600.00	.....	.....	600.00	600.00	.....	.....	.....
Expenses	1,025.00	.....	.....	1,025.00	1,024.89	.....	.11	.....
Printing & Advertising	848.00	.....	78.39	926.39	926.39	.....	.....	.....
Binding Vital Stat. & Town Records	250.00	.....	.....	250.00	250.00	.....	.....	.....
Town Mtg. Recording & P.A. System	515.00	.....	135.00	650.00	650.00	.....	.....	.....
Microfilming	2,030.00	.....	.....	.....	2,030.00	1,949.02	.....	80.98	.....
Registration Board - Salary	300.00	.....	.....	300.00	300.00	.....	.....	.....
Town Clerk	200.00	.....	.....	200.00	200.00	.....	.....	.....
Listing Expenses	2,100.00	.....	.....	2,100.00	2,086.37	.....	13.63	.....
Clerk	3,939.00	.....	.....	3,939.00	3,939.00	.....	.....	.....
Extra Clerical	350.00	.....	.....	350.00	350.00	.....	.....	.....
Expenses	2,735.00	.....	.....	2,735.00	2,733.89	.....	1.11	.....
Election Officials & Janitors	2,100.00	.....	.....	2,100.00	2,017.89	.....	82.11	.....
Expenses	920.00	.....	.....	920.00	656.00	.....	264.00	.....
Repairs Voting Booths	100.00	.....	.....	100.00	100.00	.....	.....	.....
Engineering - Town Engineer	6,800.00	.....	.....	6,800.00	4,693.86	.....	2,106.14	.....
Sr. Engineering Aide	5,733.00	.....	.....	5,733.00	5,733.00	.....	.....	.....
Sr. Engineering Aide	5,733.00	.....	.....	5,733.00	5,247.90	.....	485.10	.....
Principal Clerk	4,225.00	.....	.....	4,225.00	4,225.00	.....	.....	.....
Expenses	1,271.00	.....	.....	1,271.00	1,260.59	.....	10.41	.....
Microfilming	847.00	.....	.....	.....	847.00	847.00	.....	.....	.....
Town Hall - Supervising Custodian	4,076.80	.....	.....	4,076.80	4,076.80	.....	.....	.....
Janitor Handyman	3,764.80	.....	.....	3,764.80	3,764.80	.....	.....	.....
Overtime Janitors	100.00	.....	.....	100.00	74.42	.....	25.58	.....
Maintenance & Supplies	5,270.00	.....	.....	5,270.00	5,115.99	.....	154.01	.....
Repairs	2,770.00	.....	.....	2,770.00	2,769.26	.....	.74	.....
Checkerette Racks	192.20	.....	.....	192.20	192.20	.....	.....	.....
Incinerator	680.00	.....	.....	680.00	675.15	.....	4.85	.....
Alter. for Planning & Appeal Bds.	700.00	.....	.....	700.00	700.00	.....	.....	.....
General Government Incidentals	675.00	.....	75.00	750.00	741.66	.....	8.34	.....
PUBLIC SAFETY									
Police Department - Chief	7,622.87	.....	.....	7,622.87	7,622.87	.....	.....	.....
Deputy Chief	6,480.33	.....	.....	6,480.33	6,480.33	.....	.....	.....
Lieutenants	20,250.00	.....	.....	20,250.00	18,131.31	1,000.00	1,118.69	.....
Lieutenants - New	9,412.50	.....	.....	9,412.50	2,548.92	.....	6,863.58	.....
Sergeants	37,062.50	.....	.....	37,062.50	35,762.00	.....	1,300.50	.....
Patrolmen	197,712.00	.....	.....	197,712.00	197,183.39	.....	528.61	.....
Patrolmen - New	10,673.00	.....	.....	10,673.00	9,438.40	.....	1,234.60	.....
Clerk	3,939.00	.....	.....	3,939.00	3,939.00	.....	.....	.....
Vacations	12,485.00	.....	.....	12,485.00	11,223.18	.....	1,261.82	.....
Sickness & Injury	6,000.00	.....	2,950.00	8,950.00	8,835.44	.....	114.56	.....
Court Time & Overtime	2,000.00	.....	.....	2,000.00	1,991.49	.....	8.51	.....
Extra Men	1,500.00	.....	42.39	1,542.39	1,542.39	.....	.....	.....

1963 RECAPITULATION - LEDGER ACCOUNTS

	Balance 1/1/63	Appropriation	Receipts	Transfers	Total	Expended	Transfers	Closed to Rev., etc.	Balance 12/31/63
Vacations - New Men	494.20	.....	.....	494.20	286.50	.....	207.70	.....
Sickness - New Men	534.00	.....	.....	534.00	160.80	.....	373.20	.....
Election Duty	508.75	.....	44.00	552.75	530.75	.....	22.00	.....
Men at Sunset Lake	1,400.00	.....	.....	1,400.00	1,299.40	.....	100.60	.....
Paid Holidays	10,066.83	.....	.....	10,066.83	9,070.44	.....	996.39	.....
Paid Holidays - New Men	751.36	.....	.....	751.36	459.40	.....	291.96	.....
Dog Officer - Salary & Expense	515.00	.....	.....	515.00	509.98	.....	5.02	.....
Tarantino Replacement	4,628.00	.....	.....	4,628.00	4,455.60	.....	172.40	.....
Replace Men Attending St. Pol. Sch.	1,260.00	.....	.....	1,260.00	1,206.78	.....	53.22	.....
Janitor Handyman	3,034.20	.....	.....	3,034.20	2,928.84	.....	105.36	.....
Out of State Travel	100.00	.....	.....	100.00	.....	.....	100.00	.....
Uniforms	3,675.00	.....	.....	3,675.00	3,586.96	.....	88.04	.....
Uniforms - New Men	375.00	.....	.....	375.00	375.00	.....	.....	.....
Radio Maint. & Installation	309.00	.....	13.53	322.53	322.53	.....	.....	.....
Expenses	14,806.00	5.24	.....	14,811.24	14,806.71	.....	4.53	.....
State Police School Expense	400.00	.....	.....	400.00	392.16	.....	7.84	.....
Police Cars	7,800.00	.....	.....	7,800.00	7,690.00	.....	110.00	.....
Photocopier & Supplies	401.00	.....	.....	401.00	397.47	.....	3.53	.....
Typewriter & Stand	229.00	.....	.....	229.00	229.00	.....	.....	.....
New Radios	3,880.00	.....	.....	3,880.00	3,690.00	.....	190.00	.....
School Traffic Safety Officer	5,812.00	.....	.....	5,812.00	5,812.00	.....	.....	.....
Supervisors	19,171.75	.....	.....	19,171.75	19,078.75	.....	93.00	.....
New Supervisor	721.00	.....	.....	721.00	721.00	.....	.....	.....
Equipment for Supervisors	350.00	.....	.....	350.00	347.54	.....	2.46	.....
Supervisors Sickness	250.00	.....	.....	250.00	250.00	.....	.....	.....
New Supervisors Sickness	15.00	.....	.....	15.00	.....	.....	15.00	.....
New Supervisors Equipment	204.90	.....	.....	204.90	204.90	.....	.....	.....
Auto Expense	175.00	.....	.....	175.00	129.62	.....	45.38	.....
Fire Department - Chief	8,400.00	.....	.....	8,400.00	8,400.00	.....	.....	.....
Assistant Chief	7,050.00	.....	.....	7,050.00	7,050.00	.....	.....	.....
Deputy Chiefs	20,250.00	.....	.....	20,250.00	20,250.00	.....	.....	.....
Captains	19,344.00	.....	.....	19,344.00	19,344.00	.....	.....	.....
Lieutenants	42,078.00	.....	.....	42,078.00	42,078.00	.....	.....	.....
Private Mechanic	5,837.00	.....	.....	5,837.00	5,837.00	.....	.....	.....
Private Fire Alarm Repairman	5,590.00	.....	.....	5,590.00	5,590.00	.....	.....	.....
Privates	186,272.00	.....	.....	186,272.00	186,180.70	.....	91.30	.....
Privates - New Men	14,092.00	.....	.....	14,092.00	13,951.00	.....	141.00	.....
Callmen	1,500.00	.....	.....	1,500.00	1,500.00	.....	.....	.....
Vacations	17,508.67	.....	.....	17,508.67	17,494.62	.....	14.05	.....
Sickness	1,850.00	.....	900.00	2,750.00	2,750.00	.....	.....	.....
Overtime	8,500.00	.....	.....	8,500.00	8,497.94	.....	2.06	.....
Vacations - New Men	420.00	.....	.....	420.00	420.00	.....	.....	.....
Holidays - New Men	518.16	.....	.....	518.16	518.16	.....	.....	.....
Paid Holidays	10,968.00	.....	.....	10,968.00	10,725.63	.....	242.37	.....
Out of State Travel	150.00	.....	.....	150.00	100.00	.....	50.00	.....
Uniforms	2,800.00	.....	.....	2,800.00	2,799.96	.....	.04	.....
Uniforms & Incidentals - New Men	800.00	.....	.....	800.00	799.89	.....	.11	.....
Expenses	6,283.00	.....	1,835.24	8,118.24	8,090.42	.....	27.82	.....

1963 RECAPITULATION - LEDGER ACCOUNTS

	Balance 1/1/63	Appropriation	Receipts	Transfers	Total	Expended	Transfers	Closed to Rev., etc.	Balance 12/31/63
New Equipment	3,300.00	.....	.....	3,300.00	3,298.73	.....	1.27	.....
East Braintree Station Utilities	1,300.00	.....	.....	1,300.00	1,279.10	.....	20.90	.....
Chiefs Car	1,400.00	.....	.....	1,400.00	1,290.00	.....	110.00	.....
Rebuilt Motor Aerial Ladder	1,224.38	.....	305.16	1,529.54	1,522.24	.....	7.30	.....
Repairs to Cupola E. Braintree Station	600.00	.....	.....	600.00	568.00	.....	32.00	.....
Interior Painting Highlands Station	50.00	.....	.....	50.00	49.45	.....	.55	.....
Fire Alarm Department - Ass't. Supt.	6,154.00	.....	.....	6,154.00	6,149.00	.....	5.00	.....
Vacations	458.00	.....	.....	458.00	457.20	.....	.80	.....
Overtime Pay	100.00	.....	.....	100.00	97.86	.....	2.14	.....
Repairs to Radio	400.00	.....	.....	400.00	393.08	.....	6.92	.....
Uniforms	50.00	.....	.....	50.00	50.00	.....	.....	.....
Expenses	1,806.00	.....	.....	1,806.00	1,798.95	.....	7.05	.....
Replacing Cross Arms	750.00	.....	.....	750.00	747.73	.....	2.27	.....
Boxes	1,000.00	.....	.....	1,000.00	1,000.00	.....	.....	.....
Installation of Boxes	60.00	.....	.....	60.00	58.99	.....	1.01	.....
5 Miles Wire	700.00	.....	.....	700.00	699.15	.....	.85	.....
Radio Receivers	276.50	.....	.....	276.50	276.50	.....	.....	.....
Central Fire & Police Sta. Utilities	1,600.00	.....	33.81	1,633.81	1,633.81	.....	.....	.....
Repairs	1,168.00	.....	.....	1,168.00	1,167.64	.....	.36	.....
Supplies	600.00	.....	150.00	750.00	710.25	.....	39.75	.....
Fuel	2,000.00	.....	.....	2,000.00	1,947.52	.....	52.48	.....
Window Shades	30.00	.....	.....	30.00	30.00	.....	.....	.....
Light Fixtures	135.00	.....	.....	135.00	135.00	.....	.....	.....
Flushometers	50.00	.....	.....	50.00	45.40	.....	4.60	.....
Desk	135.00	.....	.....	135.00	135.00	.....	.....	.....
Inspector of Buildings - Salary	5,652.25	.....	.....	5,652.25	5,652.25	.....	.....	.....
Deputy Inspector	105.00	.....	.....	105.00	105.00	.....	.....	.....
File Cabinet	75.00	.....	.....	75.00	75.00	.....	.....	.....
Expenses	575.00	.....	.....	575.00	575.00	.....	.....	.....
Inspector of Wires - Salary	3,356.25	.....	.....	3,356.25	3,356.25	.....	.....	.....
Deputy Inspector	100.00	.....	.....	100.00	100.00	.....	.....	.....
Expenses	500.00	.....	.....	500.00	500.00	.....	.....	.....
Sealer of Wgts. & Meas. - Salary	1,575.00	.....	.....	1,575.00	1,575.00	.....	.....	.....
Expenses	300.00	.....	.....	300.00	300.00	.....	.....	.....
Tape	20.00	.....	.....	20.00	20.00	.....	.....	.....
Planning Board - Clerical	480.00	.....	.....	480.00	315.00	.....	165.00	.....
Off. Expense & Stenotype Service	250.00	.....	.....	250.00	141.71	.....	108.29	.....
Meeting Expense - Dues - Mileage	400.00	.....	.....	400.00	374.22	.....	25.78	.....
Printing & Legal Notices	500.00	.....	.....	500.00	97.35	.....	402.65	.....
Map Revision	100.00	.....	.....	100.00	.....	.....	100.00	.....
Office Furniture	180.00	.....	.....	180.00	177.30	.....	2.70	.....
Master Study Plan	2,500.00	.....	.....	.....	2,500.00	.....	.....	.....	2,500.00
Board of Appeals - Secretary	295.00	.....	.....	295.00	295.00	.....	.....	.....
Expenses	100.00	.....	.....	100.00	94.44	.....	5.56	.....
Tree Warden - Salary	2,875.00	.....	.....	2,875.00	2,875.00	.....	.....	.....
General Care	3,400.00	3,400.00	3,400.00
Tree Removal	2,955.00	2,955.00	2,695.00	260.00

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	Balance 1/1/63	Appropriation	Receipts	Transfers	Total	Expended	Transfers	Closed to Rev., etc.	Balance 12/31/63
Planting New Trees	2,000.00	.....	.....	2,000.00	1,995.31	.....	4.69	.....
Tree Bank	1,000.00	.....	.....	1,000.00	998.70	.....	1.30	.....
HEALTH AND SANITATION									
Board of Health - Salaries	300.00	.....	.....	300.00	300.00	.....	.....	.....
Agent	5,304.00	.....	.....	5,304.00	5,304.00	.....	.....	.....
Clerk	4,225.00	.....	.....	4,225.00	4,225.00	.....	.....	.....
Expenses	1,822.00	.....	.....	1,822.00	1,821.19	.....	.81	.....
Dental Clinic	12,500.00	3.90	.....	12,503.90	12,026.37	.....	477.53	.....
Tuberculosis Care	22,500.00	.....	.....	22,500.00	15,602.63	.....	6,897.37	.....
T.B. Prevention	480.00	.....	.....	480.00	480.00	.....	.....	.....
Health Education	2,000.00	.....	.....	2,000.00	2,000.00	.....	.....	.....
Control of Communicable Diseases	1,500.00	.....	.....	1,500.00	1,500.00	.....	.....	.....
Insp. of Public Eating Places	1,150.00	.....	.....	1,150.00	835.00	.....	315.00	.....
Testing of Milk & Water	600.00	.....	.....	600.00	579.50	.....	20.50	.....
Insp. of Animals & Meats	550.00	.....	.....	550.00	550.00	.....	.....	.....
Inspection of Plumbing	4,000.00	.....	700.00	4,700.00	4,688.50	.....	11.50	.....
Gas Inspection	1,750.00	.....	.....	1,750.00	1,749.55	.....	.45	.....
Garbage Collection	52,950.00	.....	.....	52,950.00	52,950.00	.....	.....	.....
Diphtheria Clinic	275.00	.....	.....	275.00	275.00	.....	.....	.....
Rabies Clinic	50.00	.....	.....	50.00	42.00	.....	8.00	.....
Dead Animal Disposal	900.00	.....	.....	900.00	624.00	.....	276.00	.....
Premature Infant Care	800.00	.....	255.70	1,055.70	1,055.70	.....	.....	.....
Polio Clinic	800.00	2,000.00	80.00	369.56	3,249.56	3,025.77	.....	223.79	.....
Pest Control	2,740.00	.....	540.00	3,280.00	3,260.00	.....	20.00	.....
Asian Flu Clinic	40.00	.....	.....	40.00	.....	.....	40.00	.....
Replace Animal Crematory & Repairs to Bldg.	2,300.00	.....	.....	2,300.00	1,223.39	.....	.....	1,076.61
New Building for Anim. Crematory	2,300.00	.....	.....	2,300.00	6.25	.....	.....	2,293.75
Sewer Department - Commissioners	300.00	.....	.....	300.00	300.00	.....	.....	.....
Superintendent	8,400.00	.....	.....	8,400.00	8,400.00	.....	.....	.....
Clerk	4,241.25	.....	.....	4,241.25	4,241.25	.....	.....	.....
Maintenance	25,500.00	.....	.....	25,500.00	25,498.05	.....	1.95	.....
House Connections	75,648.00	50,000.00	6,000.00	131,648.00	118,774.46	.....	.....	12,873.54
Const. Construction	188,497.12	100,000.00	350,000.00	.....	638,497.12	392,519.16	.....	.....	245,977.96
Const. Ext. Granite St. Sewer	104,656.52	29,350.00	265.20	.....	134,271.72	131,161.56	.....	.....	3,110.16
Construction on Certain Streets	52,800.00	.....	.....	52,800.00	.....	.....	.....	52,800.00
Relocate Pearl Street Sewer	15,000.00	.....	.....	15,000.00	13,418.30	.....	1,581.70	.....
Main Trunk Farm River	400,000.00	.....	400,000.00	27,289.83	.....	.....	372,710.17

HIGHWAYS

Highway Department - Superintendent	.....	8,200.00	.....	.....	8,200.00	8,200.00	.....	.....	.....
Other Salaries	.....	212,983.20	.....	.....	212,983.20	192,744.08	.....	20,239.12	.....
Materials, Supplies & Repairs	.....	55,000.00	.....	450.24	55,450.24	55,450.24	.....	.....	.....
Gypsy Moth Expense	1,125.00	1,125.00	1,125.00
Dutch Elm Disease	2,093.12	2,093.12	1,590.95	502.17

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	Balance 1/1/63	Appropriation	Receipts	Transfers	Total	Expended	Transfers	Closed to Rev., etc.	Balance 12/31/63
Chapter 90 Construction 1963	.....	68,000.00	.....	.....	68,000.00	.....	.....	.....	68,000.00
1962	56,000.00	.....	.....	.....	56,000.00	.....	.....	.....	56,000.00
1961	29,538.86	.....	.....	.....	29,538.86	46.57	.....	.....	29,492.29
Chapter 90 Maintenance	.....	6,000.00	.....	.....	6,000.00	6,000.00	.....	.....	.....
Streets Resurfaced	.....	3,162.56	.....	.....	3,162.56	3,162.56	.....	.....	.....
Snow Removal	.....	18,000.00	.....	3,165.00	21,165.00	21,161.78	.....	3.22	.....
Construction Common Street	14,000.00	10,274.07	.....	.....	24,274.07	24,274.07	.....	.....	.....
1963 New Construction	.....	3,263.55	.....	.....	3,263.55	491.93	.....	.....	2,771.62
1962 New Construction	12,278.00	.....	.....	.....	12,278.00	11,431.30	846.70	.....	.....
1959 New Construction	7,728.73	.....	.....	.....	7,728.73	3,393.00	4,335.73	.....	.....
Dump Fill	.....	6,000.00	.....	.....	6,000.00	6,000.00	.....	.....	.....
Aerial Spraying	.....	7,500.00	.....	.....	7,500.00	4,335.25	3,164.75	.....	.....
Betterments Sidewalks Forest St.	1,852.00	.....	.....	.....	1,852.00	.....	.....	.....	1,852.00
Cleveland Avenue	.....	1,907.50	.....	.....	1,907.50	1,907.50	.....	.....	.....
Walnut St. & Lakeside Dr.	.....	3,686.00	.....	.....	3,686.00	983.50	.....	.....	2,702.50
French Avenue	.....	7,235.00	.....	.....	7,235.00	6,735.00	.....	500.00	.....
Certain Streets	.....	7,761.50	.....	.....	7,761.50	842.50	.....	.....	6,919.00
Betterments Roadway Forest St.	14,770.00	.....	.....	.....	14,770.00	124.11	.....	.....	14,645.89
Winthrop Avenue	11,652.00	.....	.....	.....	11,652.00	10,652.00	.....	1,000.00	.....
Putnam Avenue	.....	688.75	.....	.....	688.75	.....	.....	.....	668.75
Improvement Court & Cranmore Rds.	1,097.06	.....	.....	.....	1,097.06	.....	.....	1,097.06	.....
Truck Chassis	.....	8,267.00	.....	.....	8,267.00	7,937.20	323.80	6.00	.....
Front End Loader	.....	16,405.00	.....	.....	16,405.00	16,348.00	57.00	.....	.....
Two Way Radio	.....	5,584.00	.....	.....	5,584.00	5,584.00	.....	.....	.....
Sand Spreader	.....	2,000.00	.....	.....	2,000.00	1,995.00	5.00	.....	.....
Street Marker	.....	895.00	.....	.....	895.00	854.50	40.50	.....	.....

PUBLIC WELFARE &
VETERANS' SERVICES

Bd. of Public Welfare - Salaries	.....	600.00	.....	.....	600.00	583.23	.....	16.77	.....
Other Salaries	.....	20,649.54	.....	.....	20,649.54	20,649.54	.....	.....	.....
Expenses	.....	1,500.00	.....	.....	1,500.00	1,496.90	.....	3.10	.....
Assistance All Aids	.....	179,366.76	63.00	.....	179,429.76	179,354.11	.....	75.65	.....
All Aids Previous Years	28,883.83	.....	.....	.....	28,883.83	.....	28,883.83	.....	.....
Veterans' Services - Agent	.....	6,266.00	.....	.....	6,266.00	6,266.00	.....	.....	.....
Clerk	.....	3,393.00	.....	.....	3,393.00	3,393.00	.....	.....	.....
Extra Clerical	.....	500.00	.....	.....	500.00	500.00	.....	.....	.....
Expenses	.....	1,650.00	.....	69.19	1,719.19	1,719.19	.....	.....	.....
Benefits	.....	98,500.00	1,727.41	5,806.90	106,034.31	106,034.31	.....	.....	.....

SCHOOLS AND LIBRARIES

Schools - Support of Public Schools	.....	3,370,561.00	1,324.07	.....	3,371,885.07	3,321,006.71	.....	50,878.36	.....
H.S. Addition Plans & Specs.	179.21	.....	.....	.....	179.21	.....	.....	179.21	.....
H.S. Addition Alter. & Repairs	881.60	881.60	881.60
Land Purchase (Higgins)	11,300.00	11,300.00	11,300.00

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	Balance 1/1/63	Appropriation	Receipts	Transfers	Total	Expended	Transfers	Closed to Rev., etc.	Balance 12/31/63
Pub. School Site & Survey Committee	.....	.....	.....	250.00	250.00	125.00	.....	.....	125.00
Jr. High School Plans & Specs.	830.41	.....	.....	.....	830.41	.....	.....	.....	830.41
Jr. High School Construction	47,459.39	.....	13.89	.....	47,473.28	3,151.34	.....	.....	44,321.94
Monatiquot Sch. Alter. & Equip. Annex	1,573.00	.....	.....	.....	1,573.00	.....	.....	.....	1,573.00
Monatiquot Sch. Const. & Equip. Add.	10,377.52	.....	.....	.....	10,377.52	8,744.48	.....	.....	1,633.04
Monatiquot Sch. Demol. Pav. & Grade.	757.10	.....	.....	.....	757.10	.....	.....	.....	757.10
Noah Torrey Cafeteria Add. Plans & Spec.	.....	2,500.00	.....	.....	2,500.00	2,293.88	.....	.....	206.12
Noah Torrey Cafeteria Add. Const.	.....	11,200.00	.....	.....	11,200.00	.....	.....	.....	11,200.00
Liberty St. Sch. Add. Plans & Specs.	.....	15,000.00	.....	.....	15,000.00	14,740.21	.....	.....	259.79
Liberty St. Sch. Add. Construction	.....	13,420.00	.....	.....	13,420.00	290.40	.....	.....	13,129.60
Reg. Voca. Sch. Dist. Plan Com. Exp.	.....	2,500.00	.....	.....	2,500.00	.....	.....	.....	2,500.00
Library - Librarians	.....	59,085.25	.....	.....	59,085.25	56,921.19	.....	2,164.06	.....
Janitors	.....	6,798.59	.....	.....	6,798.59	6,772.40	.....	26.19	.....
Binding	.....	3,000.00	.....	.....	3,000.00	2,976.12	.....	23.88	.....
Expenses	.....	20,400.00	.....	110.00	20,510.00	20,507.21	.....	2.79	.....
Alter. Main Library Base. Entrance	3,478.75	298.00	.....	.....	3,776.75	3,760.00	.....	16.75	.....
Furniture	.....	165.00	.....	.....	165.00	161.47	.....	3.53	.....
Fire Extinguisher	.....	30.00	.....	.....	30.00	27.00	.....	3.00	.....
Window Grates	.....	140.00	.....	.....	140.00	140.00	.....	.....	.....
Rubber Matting	.....	48.00	.....	.....	48.00	48.00	.....	.....	.....
Mirror	.....	20.00	.....	.....	20.00	16.50	.....	3.50	.....
Electric Fans	.....	57.00	.....	.....	57.00	57.00	.....	.....	.....
Out State Travel	.....	75.00	.....	.....	75.00	74.88	.....	.12	.....
Fire Detection System	.....	3,430.00	.....	.....	3,430.00	3,382.44	.....	47.56	.....

RECREATION AND UNCLASSIFIED

Parks & Playgrounds - Superintendent	.....	6,800.00	.....	.....	6,800.00	6,800.00	.....	.....	.....
Secretary	.....	360.00	.....	.....	360.00	360.00	.....	.....	.....
Labor	.....	11,005.20	.....	.....	11,005.20	10,867.92	.....	137.28	.....
Materials, Supplies & Repairs	.....	4,680.00	20.69	.....	4,700.69	4,696.86	.....	3.83	.....
Expenses	.....	3,250.00	.....	.....	3,250.00	3,247.22	.....	2.78	.....
New Construction	836.68	.....	.....	.....	836.68	.....	.....	.....	836.68
Hollis Field Stadium	2,181.25	.....	.....	.....	2,181.25	.....	.....	.....	2,181.25
Concrete Benches	183.00	.....	.....	.....	183.00	183.00	.....	.....	.....
Paint Fence Frenchs Common	.....	1,100.00	.....	.....	1,100.00	670.54	.....	.....	429.46
Bleachers	.....	750.00	.....	.....	750.00	750.00	.....	.....	.....
Chain Link Fence Frenchs Common	.....	195.00	.....	.....	195.00	195.00	.....	.....	.....
Acquisition of Land	.....	2,000.00	.....	.....	2,000.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Utility Bldg. Plans & Specs.	.....	5,000.00	.....	.....	5,000.00	.....	.....	.....	2,000.00
Organized Play - Supervisor	.....	1,105.00	.....	.....	1,105.00	1,105.00	.....	.....	.....
Instructors	.....	9,321.50	.....	.....	9,321.50	9,319.50	.....	2.00	.....
Expenses	.....	2,800.00	.....	.....	2,800.00	2,769.31	.....	30.69	.....
Retarded Children - Supervisor	.....	560.00	.....	.....	560.00	560.00	.....	.....	.....
Assistant Teacher	.....	300.00	.....	308.00	608.00	564.00	.....	44.00	.....
Supplies & Expenses	90.00	90.00	30.76	59.24
Transportation	500.00	500.00	500.00

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	Balance 1/1/63	Appropriation	Receipts	Transfers	Total	Expended	Transfers	Closed to Rev., etc.	Balance 12/31/63
Swimming Instructors	5,859.49	.....	.....	5,859.49	5,620.69	.....	238.80	.....
Caretaker	130.00	.....	.....	130.00	130.00	.....	.....	.....
Matron	410.00	.....	.....	410.00	410.00	.....	.....	.....
Gateguard	858.00	.....	.....	858.00	819.50	.....	38.50	.....
Expenses	900.00	.....	.....	900.00	868.96	.....	31.04	.....
Golf Course Supervisor	2,318.40	.....	.....	2,318.40	2,318.40	.....	.....	.....
Clubhouse Operating Expense	500.00	.....	.....	500.00	500.00	.....	.....	.....
Labor	10,700.00	.....	.....	10,700.00	10,672.05	.....	27.95	.....
Materials, Supplies & Repairs	4,000.00	.....	.....	4,000.00	4,000.00	.....	.....	.....
Expenses	3,000.00	120.00	.....	3,120.00	3,120.00	.....	.....	.....
Greens Mower	500.00	.....	.....	500.00	500.00	.....	.....	.....
Tractor Loader	4,450.00	.....	.....	4,450.00	4,450.00	.....	.....	.....
New Tees	3,000.00	.....	.....	3,000.00	3,000.00	.....	.....	.....
New Water Line	3,125.30	.....	.....	3,125.30	3,108.50	.....	16.80	.....
Ins. Fire & Ext. Cov. Bldg. & Cont.	22,000.00	.....	.....	22,000.00	21,796.12	.....	203.88	.....
Employees Compensation	30,000.00	.....	.....	30,000.00	28,717.35	.....	1,282.65	.....
Auto Liability	8,300.00	.....	.....	8,300.00	8,281.70	.....	18.30	.....
Boiler	3,050.00	.....	.....	3,050.00	2,348.98	.....	701.02	.....
Group	809.72	57,415.30	8,819.55	639.62	67,684.19	67,684.19	.....	.....	.....
Town Reports	1,783.88	.....	.....	1,783.88	1,783.88	.....	.....	.....
Duplicating & Photostat Mach. Supp.	200.00	.....	.....	200.00	200.00	.....	.....	.....
Personnel Board - Clerical	50.00	.....	.....	50.00	.....	.....	50.00	.....
Expenses	1,250.00	.....	.....	1,250.00	1,002.05	.....	247.95	.....
Ind. Dev. Comm. - Expense	4,775.00	.....	.....	4,775.00	3,228.49	.....	46.51	1,500.00
Out of State Travel	100.00	.....	.....	100.00	.....	.....	100.00	.....
Bd. of Trust Fund Comm. - Expense	100.00	.....	.....	100.00	77.75	.....	22.25	.....
Advisory Service	750.00	.....	.....	750.00	750.00	.....	.....	.....
Accounting Service	300.00	.....	.....	300.00	300.00	.....	.....	.....
Committee for the Aging	800.00	.....	.....	800.00	.....	.....	800.00	.....
Maintenance of Legion Building	1,200.00	.....	.....	1,200.00	1,200.00	.....	.....	.....
Rent of Hall V.F.W.	960.00	.....	.....	960.00	960.00	.....	.....	.....
Rent of Hall D.A.V.	850.00	.....	.....	850.00	850.00	.....	.....	.....
Graves Reg. Officer - Expense	50.00	.....	50.00	100.00	100.00	.....	.....	.....
Memorial Day	750.00	.....	.....	750.00	642.00	.....	108.00	.....
Hydrant Service	27,580.00	.....	.....	27,580.00	27,580.00	.....	.....	.....
Street Lighting	51,000.00	.....	.....	51,000.00	44,755.73	.....	6,244.27	.....
Lighting River St. Underpass	225.00	225.00	217.00	.....	8.00	.....
Pedestrian Lights Commercial St.	3,000.00	.....	.....	3,000.00	1,726.88	.....	1,273.12	.....
Unpaid Bills Prior to 1/1/63	1,637.04	.....	.....	1,637.04	1,637.04	.....	.....	.....
Flood Cont. Proj. Smelt Brk. Watershed	18,750.00	.....	.....	.....	18,750.00	.....	.....	.....	18,750.00
Removal Silt Smelt Brk. & Weymouth Fore Riv.	2,125.00	.....	.....	.....	2,125.00	.....	.....	.....	2,125.00
South Shore Mosquito Control	5,600.00	.....	.....	5,600.00	5,600.00	.....	.....	.....
Town Forest Labor & Supplies	600.00	.....	.....	600.00	600.00	.....	.....	.....
Civil Def. Warn. System Line Rental	92.80	714.00	.....	.....	806.80	576.00	.....	230.80	.....
Radiological	232.92	325.00	.....	.....	557.92	492.50	.....	65.42	.....
Furn. & Supp. Headquarters	593.54	593.54	578.60	14.94
Renovations to Headquarters	2,325.00	2,325.00	2,325.00

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	Balance 1/1/63	Appropriation	Receipts	Transfers	Total	Expended	Transfers	Closed to Rev., etc.	Balance 12/31/63
Administration	340.25	100.00	.....	.....	440.25	360.30	.....	79.95	.....
Out State Travel	274.00	.....	.....	.....	274.00	.....	.....	274.00	.....
Auxiliary Fire Department	.....	200.00	.....	.....	200.00	198.90	.....	1.10	.....
Auxiliary Police Department	.....	563.00	.....	.....	563.00	563.00	.....	.....	.....
Communications	.....	318.00	.....	.....	318.00	180.61	.....	137.39	.....
All Bond Transmitter	.....	450.00	.....	.....	450.00	.....	.....	450.00	.....
Non Contributory Pensions	.....	67,677.75	5,243.89	.....	72,921.64	71,759.52	.....	1,162.12	.....
Contributory Retirement System	.....	79,952.54	.....	.....	79,952.54	79,952.54	.....	.....	.....
Reserve Fund	.....	30,000.00	.....	.....	30,000.00	25,982.73	.....	4,017.27	.....

ENTERPRISES AND CEMETERIES

Water Department - Commissioners	.....	300.00	.....	.....	300.00	300.00	.....	.....	.....
Superintendent	.....	8,400.00	.....	.....	8,400.00	8,400.00	.....	.....	.....
Exec.Secy., Clerks, Stenographers	.....	21,319.25	.....	.....	21,319.25	19,556.15	.....	1,763.10	.....
Debt and Interest	.....	43,334.50	.....	.....	43,334.50	43,334.50	.....	.....	.....
Out of State Travel	.....	200.00	.....	.....	200.00	143.60	.....	56.40	.....
Other Expenses - New Equip. & Wages	.....	364,114.47	.....	.....	364,114.47	351,797.41	.....	12,317.06	.....
New High Lift Pump	436.60	.....	.....	.....	436.60	.....	.....	.....	436.60
Water Main Granite Street	.....	25,500.00	.....	.....	25,500.00	22,907.50	.....	2,592.50	.....
Clean & Chlorinate Sunset Lake	.....	2,500.00	.....	.....	2,500.00	2,500.00	.....	.....	.....
Elec. Light Dept. - Commissioners	.....	300.00	.....	.....	300.00	300.00	.....	.....	.....
Maintenance	201,300.98	.....	2,448,259.20	.....	2,649,560.18	2,407,790.68	300.00	9,864.42	231,605.08
Construction	.....	.....	9,864.42	.....	9,864.42	.....	.....	.....	9,864.42
Depreciation	579,927.13	.....	333,434.90	.....	913,362.03	638,665.05	.....	.....	274,696.98
New Plant	.....	.....	47,619.50	.....	47,619.50	.....	.....	.....	47,619.50
Cemeteries	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Plain Street - Superintendent	.....	700.00	.....	.....	700.00	700.00	.....	.....	.....
Labor	.....	550.00	.....	.....	550.00	544.20	.....	5.80	.....
Grave Openings	.....	500.00	.....	.....	500.00	428.00	.....	72.00	.....
Expenses	.....	200.00	.....	.....	200.00	189.28	.....	10.72	.....
Materials & Supplies	.....	300.00	.....	.....	300.00	183.39	.....	116.61	.....
Pond Street - Superintendent	.....	600.00	.....	.....	600.00	600.00	.....	.....	.....
Graves Openings	.....	150.00	.....	.....	150.00	86.86	.....	63.14	.....
Expense & Labor	.....	750.00	.....	.....	750.00	746.75	.....	3.25	.....
Dyer Hill	.....	.....	100.00	.....	100.00	98.20	.....	1.80	.....
First Parish	.....	460.00	.....	.....	460.00	454.60	.....	5.40	.....
Office Expense	.....	300.00	.....	.....	300.00	225.00	.....	75.00	.....

INTEREST AND MATURING DEBT

Interest	.....	186,043.25	118,459.50	.....	304,502.75	301,514.27	.....	2,988.48	.....
Maturing Debt	.....	578,000.00	303,000.00	.....	881,000.00	881,000.00	.....	.....	.....

FEDERAL GRANT ACCOUNTS

Old Age Assistance - Aid	45,263.99	84,879.00	130,142.99	100,184.01	15,000.00	14,958.98
Administration	2,370.67	9,112.26	11,482.93	7,606.81	3,876.12

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	Balance 1/1/63	Appropriation	Receipts	Transfers	Total	Expended	Transfers	Closed to Rev., etc.	Balance 12/31/63
Medical Aid to the Aged - Aid Administration	29,630.84	.....	93,221.64	20,000.00	142,852.48	124,727.58	.....	.....	18,124.90
Aid to Families with Dep. Child. - Aid Administration	5,764.26	.....	8,016.23	.....	13,780.49	3,823.46	5,000.00	.....	4,957.03
Disability Assistance - Aid Administration	13,360.80	.....	26,694.70	.....	40,055.50	35,848.79	.....	.....	4,206.71
Schools P.L. 874	2,965.38	.....	10,132.05	.....	13,097.43	8,511.60	.....	.....	4,585.83
P.L. 85-864 Title III	2,267.23	.....	12,193.70	.....	14,460.93	12,449.97	.....	.....	2,010.96
P.L. 85-864 Title V	1,925.24	.....	2,292.31	.....	4,217.55	628.07	.....	.....	3,589.48
P.L. 85-864 Title III Rev.	87,248.45	.....	56,240.00	.....	143,488.45	80,365.86	.....	.....	63,122.59
P.L. 85-864 Title V	27.15	.....	.....	.....	27.15	.....	27.15	.....	.....
P.L. 85-864 Title III Rev.	44.66	.....	.....	.....	44.66	.....	44.66	.....	.....
P.L. 85-864 Title V Rev.	14,813.71	.....	1,646.20	27.15	16,487.06	13,920.67	.....	.....	2,566.39
Smith Hughes Geo. Barden Fund	3,620.28	.....	1,855.80	44.66	5,520.74	3,216.58	.....	.....	2,304.16
	9,746.16	.....	3,400.00	.....	13,146.16	7,971.56	.....	.....	5,174.60

TRUST FUND INCOME ACCOUNTS

Schools - Colbert Library	247.76	.....	1,795.21	.....	2,042.97	1,915.62	.....	.....	127.35
N.S. & N.E. Hollis Trust Fund Income	16,306.92	.....	48,676.48	.....	64,983.40	42,408.27	.....	.....	22,575.13
Mary F. White Trust Fund Income	.....	.....	3,440.65	.....	3,440.65	1,962.35	.....	.....	1,478.30
Parks - N.E. Hollis Trust Fund Income	210.43	.....	8,206.00	.....	8,416.43	550.00	.....	.....	7,866.43

REVOLVING FUNDS

Schools - Lunch Program	32,158.64	269,719.61	301,878.25	270,717.01	31,161.24
Athletic Fund	2,498.34	9,740.08	12,238.42	10,570.37	1,668.05

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